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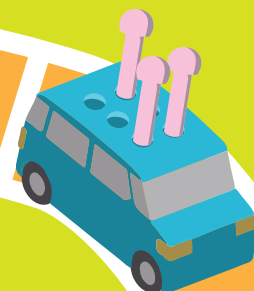
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Journal Welcomes California Local News Fellows

By Jennifer Fumiko Cahill and Thadeus Greenson

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We are excited to announce the *North Coast Journal* was recently selected to be a host newsroom for the 2024 California Local News Fellowship, a state-funded initiative to invigorate local journalism, with a focus on underserved communities.

In September, we will welcome recent California State University at Los Angeles graduate Anne To, who also served as the most recent editor in chief of the school's *University Times* student newspaper, to our newsroom to begin a two-year fellowship reporting the news of the North Coast.

This is a great opportunity to also publicly welcome Kelby McIntosh into the fold here at the *Journal*, though you may have already seen his byline or heard his voice on local airwaves. A member of the fellowship's inaugural 2023 cohort, Kelby was placed with the Redwood Listening Post, a project of Access Humboldt, last fall and will be working with the *Journal* moving forward via an ongoing partnership.

McIntosh and To are two of 75 fellows now placed in newsrooms throughout the state as a part of the initiative run through the University of California at Berkeley Graduate School of Journalism. The effort was spearheaded by state Sen. Steve Glazer in 2022, when he secured \$25 million in state funding to bolster local news coverage and invest in the development of early-career journalists. (Fun local note: Glazer, in a prior life, served as the spokesperson for Robin P. Arkley when former Eureka City Councilmember Larry Glass accused the local businessman of shoving him and threatening to destroy him if Glass didn't support Arkley's Marina Center project. Arkley, through Glazer, denied the allegations.) The public funds pay to administer the program, cover most of the fellows' salaries and provide them with training and mentorship, and will ultimately support approximately 200 years of reporting from 100 early-career journalists throughout the state over six years.

It's an almost impossibly good deal for a small newsroom like ours, allowing us to essentially double our in-house news reporting team — at least temporarily — at an affordable price.

"With a national crisis in local journalism upon us, every single one of these fellows and newsrooms is a sign of hope," California Local News Fellowship Director Christa Scharfenberg said in a press release announcing the 2024 cohort. "We're honored to support the next generation of journalists and help invigorate a national movement for robust local news."

Berkeley Journalism Dean Geeta Anand, who worked with Glazer to create the innovative program, said the initiative comes at a time when "the survival of local journalism hangs in the balance."

"Robust local reporting makes a difference for all that we hold dear: the education of our children, safety and dignity for vulnerable community members, the protection of our environment, and more," Anand said in the release.

We at the *Journal* are grateful to have been selected to host To as she spends two years getting to know and reporting on the people and issues of the North Coast. And we're grateful for the opportunity to work with McIntosh over the second year of his fellowship placement in Humboldt, helping him add print reporting skills to his background in radio.

Both of them will be doing in-depth reporting for the *Journal*, as well as some beat reporting in the Eel River Valley for the *Ferndale Enterprise*, which is also owned by North Coast Journal Inc. Consumers of regional news coverage may also notice new fellowship additions to the newsrooms of our neighbors at *The Trinity Journal* and *The Mendocino Voice*, and CalMatters, the nonprofit whose stories you'll see periodically in local publications, including our own.

We believe local reporting serves a vital role in our communities and we're excited to be a part of a statewide effort to build and sustain it. ●

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NCJ MAILBOX

'An Existential Threat'

Editor:

Trump is an existential threat to life on earth (Mailbox, June 6).

As I write today, on Summer Solstice, 2024, there is a severe heat wave in much of the U.S. A tropical storm has dropped 10 inches of rain on part of Texas, while much of California is baking, dry as a tinderbox and devastated by out-of-control wildfires. According to an analysis by climate scientists at NOAA's National Centers for Environmental Information, 2023 was the hottest year on record. Along with this historic heat, Antarctic sea ice dropped to an historic low in 2023.

Approximately 97 percent of climate scientists around the world agree that man-made climate change is real and primarily caused by the production and consumption of oil and other fossil fuels.

In 2022, President Joe Biden signed into law the Inflation Reduction Act, which was the most comprehensive climate legislation in U.S. history. It invests hundreds of billions of dollars in clean energy, electric cars and environmental justice.

Since the beginning of his political career, Donald Trump has repeatedly refuted fossil fuel driven climate change as a hoax. During his 2017-2021 tenure as president, Trump eviscerated environmental protections and opened up national parks and Indigenous sacred lands to fossil fuel exploration and drilling.

Now Trump is running again for president with a political agenda that will be much more devastating to our environment, and that will greatly accelerate climate change.

According to a recently released report by the Sierra Club, Trump plans to implement "Project 2025" — a sweeping and draconian legislative proposal put forward by the conservative Heritage Foundation that will undo Biden's Inflation Reduction Act and re-invest in fossil fuels.

Before you vote in November of 2024, please think about the future of life on earth!

Rob Hepburn, Arcata

Salt River Poem

Turkey buzzard guards this delta
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Who salted that river
with her tears?
& why
did she weep
as her gaze turned
to where it ran
to join the mouth
calling itself home
singing itself to the sea?

Only the buzzard calls back
from his fence post
waiting on those for whom
we weep
guarding their secrets
with his never-ending hunger
for what the river doesn't
carry out to sea.

— Adrienne Veronese

'The Absolute Joy'

Editor:

I am so happy the *North Coast Journal* publishes local poems and this week I was stunned by Garrett Snedaker's poem "Graduation" (June 20). I loved the wording, the flow and the absolute joy of reading from beginning to end.

Dave Rosso, Eureka

Do you have a poem in you? The weekly deadline to be considered for publication in the upcoming edition is 5 p.m. Friday.

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Change of Plea Hearing Set in Fair Embezzlement Case

By Thadeus Greenson
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U.S. District Court Judge Charles Breyer has scheduled a change of plea hearing for the Humboldt County Fair Association's former bookkeeper, signaling she may be nearing a plea agreement to resolve the wire fraud charges facing her.

Nina Tafarella, who was indicted by a federal grand jury on Oct. 11 and faces five counts of wire fraud stemming from an alleged "ghost payroll" embezzlement scheme that prosecutors allege saw her defraud the fair association of approximately \$430,000, was recently in court for what was scheduled as a status conference. But according to court records, Breyer then set the matter for a Sept. 25 change of plea hearing, offering the delay to allow for "effective preparation of counsel."

The Journal's attempts to reach Tafarella's public defender, David Rizk, for information on a potential plea agreement in the case were not immediately successful.

Tafarella remains free after posting \$15,000 bond in the case and pleading not guilty to all five counts and, according to court filings, has been "compliant with the conditions of her release." She was arrested Nov. 15, 2022, by Ferndale police at a local casino after allegations surfaced that she'd embezzled from the fair association and a Eureka nonprofit over the course of almost two years.

Prosecutors allege she primarily used a "ghost payroll" scheme to bilk funds from the fair association, creating fictitious employees in the association's accounting records she used to route electronic payments to her own accounts.

Each of the federal counts facing Tafarella carries a maximum sentence of 20 years in federal prison, a fine of up to \$250,000 or both, if convicted. The U.S. Attorney's Office is also seeking the forfeiture of all property "derived from the proceeds" of the fraud, or a forfeiture judgement of \$456,911.

The judgment would allow prosecutors

to seize "substitute property" in the event that the embezzled funds — or what was purchased with them — cannot be located, have been transferred to a third party or have been "substantially diminished in value."

Fair officials, who have now spent a year and a half working to untangle the fiscal mess left in the wake of Tafarella's alleged theft have voiced hope that a successful prosecution of Tafarella may result in the fair recouping some of the allegedly embezzled funds. But a Jan. 30 court filing casts doubt on whether that's possible, with Tafarella's attorney describing her as "indigent," or impoverished and unable to meet her basic needs.

Previously, prosecutors have alleged that Tafarella used the embezzled funds "on personal expenditures, including Amazon purchases, restaurants and gambling."

In April, *The Ferndale Enterprise* broke news that Tafarella had also faced another embezzlement allegation in 2019, years before she moved to Humboldt County and started working for the fair association. Those allegations, reported to the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office and investigated before the district attorney opted not to file charges and sent the case back for further investigation, accuse Tafarella of stealing almost \$6,500 from a wellness company she worked for.

According to a Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office police report, Tafarella was employed by Acacia Counseling and Wellness, working in the office, when she was accused of forging a supervisor's signature on five company checks totaling \$6,946, three of which were made out to her and two made out to the "Gordon Family Trust." A spokesperson for the Santa Barbara County District Attorney's Office said prosecutors determined there was insufficient evidence to prosecute Tafarella when the case was submitted and sent it back to the sheriff's office for further investigation.


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Brett Donley, the former founder of Acacia Counseling and Wellness, said the FBI is investigating the Santa Barbara allegations, possibly looking to incorporate them into the case currently facing Tafaarella, though the status of that investigation is unclear.

Tafaarella is slated to personally appear at the Sept. 25 change of plea hearing in San Francisco, which is scheduled to begin at 10 a.m.

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Newsom: Dark Forces Are Threatening California

Months of speculation and complaints about when, or even if, Gov. Gavin Newsom would give his annual State of the State address ended on June 25 with more of a whimper than a bang.

At a few minutes past 10 a.m., Newsom posted a pre-recorded speech to his social media channels. Flanked by American and California flags, the Democratic governor solemnly warned that “the California way of life is under attack” by forces threatened by the state’s diversity, pluralism and innovative spirit.

“Our values and our way of life are the antidote to the poisonous populism of the right, and to the fear and anxiety that so many people are feeling today,” Newsom said. “For conservatives and delusional California bashers, their success depends on our failure.”

Eschewing the convention of delivering live remarks to the Legislature in the stately Assembly chambers of the Capitol, Newsom’s subdued approach this year drew fierce condemnation from his Republican critics — who had fastidiously tracked the days since he canceled his original speech in March and called him a coward for not showing up in person to defend his record in office.

“While this pre-recorded speech fulfills the governor’s legal mandate, it does not in any real way fulfill his responsibility to Californians who deserve a safe, affordable and opportunity-filled future,” Sen. Kelly Seyarto, a Murrieta Republican, said in a pre-response video.

But the governor’s dodge is unlikely to matter to most Californians, many of whom may not register this low-key event at all — barely 1,000 people tuned in for the premiere on YouTube. And that’s precisely the point.

Letting the rescheduling of the State of the State drag on for so long was a mistake that opened Newsom to unnecessary, if largely inconsequential, criticism, said Rob Stutzman, a Republican consultant who served as communications director for former Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger. Forgoing a big speech ends the saga with as little attention as possible.

“He got caught in tough circumstances here,” Stutzman said.

Even with his unorthodox solution, the remarks were classic Newsom, incorporating many of his favorite talking points as stock footage played on the screen.

The 28-minute address included a lengthy defense of what California has accomplished in the past few years — protecting reproductive rights, seizing fentanyl at the border with Mexico, clearing homeless encampments — which he argued undermines a persistent narrative of a failing state.

Faced with rising concerns over how California is handling crime, Newsom pointed to statistics that indicate gun violence and homicide rates are higher in Republican-led states.

“All of those facts fly in the face of the California haters who want to tear us down because they know our success is a spotlight on their own failures,” Newsom said.

The governor did not announce any major new initiatives, but highlighted the CARE Court system that he developed to push more people with serious mental health challenges into treatment and a bond approved by voters in March to fund more beds for those patients.

“Every year, the people of California stun the world with something new that our detractors could never have dreamed of,” he said. “The only surprise is that they keep being surprised.”

It’s not unprecedented for Newsom to skip a traditional State of the State address. He’s done it four times in his six years in office, including a speech from an empty Dodger Stadium in 2021, during the height of the coronavirus pandemic, and a four-day policy tour across California last year.

But the June 25 event — fulfilling the governor’s constitutional obligation to “report to the Legislature each calendar year on the condition of the State” by sending them the text of his remarks — was the most muted of Newsom’s tenure, reflecting the sour political mood that he currently faces.

Newsom originally planned to deliver the State of the State in March, following the primary election, but he abruptly delayed the speech when results for his signature mental health care proposal wound up too



Gov. Gavin Newsom delivers a pre-recorded State of the State address via YouTube on June 25, 2024.

Photo by Miguel Gutierrez Jr., CalMatters

close to call. It ultimately passed by less than four-tenths of a percentage point, after weeks of counting.

The governor’s office said at the time that it would work with the Legislature to find a new date. As weeks turned into months, however, their time was consumed instead by negotiations to close California’s multi-billion-dollar budget deficit, not to mention bill hearings and a gubernatorial trip to the Vatican to discuss climate change. Newsom has also battled recently with proponents of an initiative to strengthen criminal penalties for drug and property crimes, pushing unsuccessfully to remove it from the November ballot.

Amid a season of unflattering headlines for the governor, a new survey from the Public Policy Institute of California this month found that just 44 percent of respondents approved of Newsom’s job performance while 54 percent disapproved, the worst assessment he has received since taking office in 2019.

With Newsom and legislative leaders reaching a budget deal over the weekend, and the Legislature soon heading out of town for most of July on recess, the State of the State was suddenly back on — sort of.

The governor’s office announced its plan for a reformatted speech on Sunday. Instead of visiting the Assembly chambers, Newsom held a private reception with lawmakers the evening before his remarks were posted online.

Despite the brouhaha over this year’s address, the pomp and ceremony of the State of the State has long fluctuated as different governors found variable utility in the event.

Two decades ago, Schwarzenegger capitalized on his movie star power and got the evening newscasts to broadcast his speeches

live. Stutzman said the State of the State was a tool for Schwarzenegger to launch his annual agenda.

“There is some benefit to the governor working with the Legislature to lay out some priorities at the beginning of the session,” Stutzman said. “Let ‘em know where you’re going to put your political capital.”

Schwarzenegger’s successor, Gov. Jerry Brown, did not seem to relish the requirement and even folded it into the inauguration for his final term. But Brown was very bound by tradition, noted Miriam Pawel, author of “The Browns of California: The Family Dynasty that Transformed a State and Shaped a Nation,” and he showed up to the Legislature each year to speak — albeit often for fewer than 20 minutes, offering philosophical admonitions alongside run-downs of his accomplishments.

“They were very in character,” Pawel said. “They were short, they were to the point.”

Though longer, Newsom’s latest speech leaned toward the Brown mode, placing California at an “extraordinary moment in history.” The governor — who is expected to serve as a surrogate for President Biden at Thursday’s presidential debate in Atlanta — evoked the spread of fascism across Europe in 1939 and, without naming former President Trump, suggested that California was a bulwark against a similar creeping rollback of progress.

“We are presented with a choice between a society that embraces our values and a world darkened by division and discrimination,” Newsom said. “But California won’t bend. We are a success story exactly because of our universality and our extraordinary diversity, and because we practice pluralism.”

— Alexei Koseff/CalMatters

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Arcata Fire District firefighters work to extinguish a vehicle fire in Bayside. Photo by Alyssa Alvarez

Fire Alarm

Facing increased calls, soaring expenses and few volunteers, local fire departments are in trouble

By Thadeus Greenson

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It's a sunny Monday morning and Humboldt Bay Fire Chief Sean Robertson and Fire Capt. Brandon Harlander are sitting in a nondescript conference room at the department's main station on C Street, talking to the *Journal* as a part of a media outreach campaign to spread the word about what they're describing as a "staffing crisis."

The department's Myrtle Avenue station has been closed for about six weeks, they say, explaining that three funded positions are currently sitting vacant because it's been difficult to recruit qualified candidates. Then, they say, they have four employees out on military or medical leave, creating temporary but long-term vacancies. This has left remaining firefighters working mandatory overtime and the department instituting what will be rotating closures of its stations based on daily staffing, creating up to three-minute delays in response times for some calls.

"We're just in a really challenging position we've never been in before," Robertson says.

He sighs, then continues, "Every department in the state seems to be hiring," noting that some nearby departments offer compensation packages \$30,000 or more annually in excess of what Humboldt Bay Fire (HBF) is paying.

"We've lost 17 people in two years at every level," he says, noting that almost half those have moved north to the Arcata Fire Protection District, which saw voters pass a special assessment tax in 2020 to boost the department's funding, allowing it to offer firefighters better pay, including longevity bonuses that have successfully lured lateral transfers, including a handful from HBF. "We're losing a lot of experience."

Talking to the *Journal* a few days later, Arcata Fire Chief Justin McDonald, who will soon retire after a 30-year career, and Deputy Chief Chris Emmons, who is poised to take his place, concede things

are looking much improved around Arcata, which not too long ago was also facing the reality of rotating station closures and the inability to retain staff.

"Sean's loss is our benefit," McDonald says, a bit sheepishly, if not apologetically. "We gained hundreds of years' worth of experience into our ranks, and everyone is local."

But they quickly note that 2020 tax sunsets in 2030 and Emmons already has "his marching orders" from the district's governing board to figure out a strategy for keeping the department funded and staffed.

Across the county, fire departments of all shapes and sizes report they are seeing increased calls of all types, from structure fires and medical aids to car crashes, amid increased difficulty recruiting both volunteer and paid firefighters. Meanwhile, expenses are spiking across the board, from the cost of diesel fuel and insurance to replacing and repairing old trucks and equipment.

Underscoring the precarious situation, just days after Robertson and Harlander pointed to Arcata Fire as their more affluent neighbor in discussing the need to keep up with the proverbial Joneses when it comes to firefighter compensation, the Humboldt County Civil Grand Jury issued its latest report of the year titled, "Dwindling Resources = Dwindling Services." In it, the grand jury warns that Arcata Fire currently can't afford the ladder truck needed to service the tall buildings currently planned or under construction within its district boundaries, while noting its funding is currently stagnant with an uncertain future.

"Due to inflation, the cost of providing existing services rises every year," the report states. "It will cost even more to pay for serving the district's growing population and its expanding and changing infrastructure. Funding levels

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are essentially static, so while costs rise, income for the district does not. The gap between increasing revenue and expense is widening."

Humboldt County Emergency Services Manager Ryan Derby says he's well aware

of the challenges facing local fire departments, noting the soaring costs facing departments big and small, as well as both the shortage of professional firefighters and community members willing to volunteer. The situation, he says, poses serious concerns for the county's ability to respond to large-scale disasters. He points to the 2022 earthquake that caused widespread damage in

Rio Dell, noting it was the Rio Dell Volunteer Fire Department that was the first to have personnel on scene, going door to door to help those in need.

"It's huge," Derby says. "We rely on fire departments, volunteer and full-time paid, for a lot of things. And when they're struggling in the day-to-day to keep up with call volume, it's much harder for us to have that quick, effective disaster response. I do worry about that."

'People Don't Volunteer Like They Used to'

Loleta Volunteer Fire Chief Jeff Robison has been a volunteer firefighter longer than he's done most other things in his life, having joined the department 40 years ago at the age of 21.

"It's near and dear to my heart," he says, noting that he would have started when he was younger but was forced to wait until he turned 21 "because there was beer in the station."

But, he says, the landscape is changing.

"We have been progressively increasing our number of calls per year, which is sort of scary at times because it's harder to get folks to volunteer for the department than before," Robison says. He explains that while the department once had a roster of more than 30 volunteers, it's dwindled to 14, with a core of eight to 10 who reliably respond. "I'm a member of the chiefs' association and we talk about this all the time. It's disheartening because nobody wants to make a commitment like that anymore."

This is a refrain echoed throughout the county, despite the fact that volunteers donated more than 102,000 hours to Humboldt County's three dozen fire departments in 2022, according to the annual fire chiefs association report, including almost 30,000 for training alone.

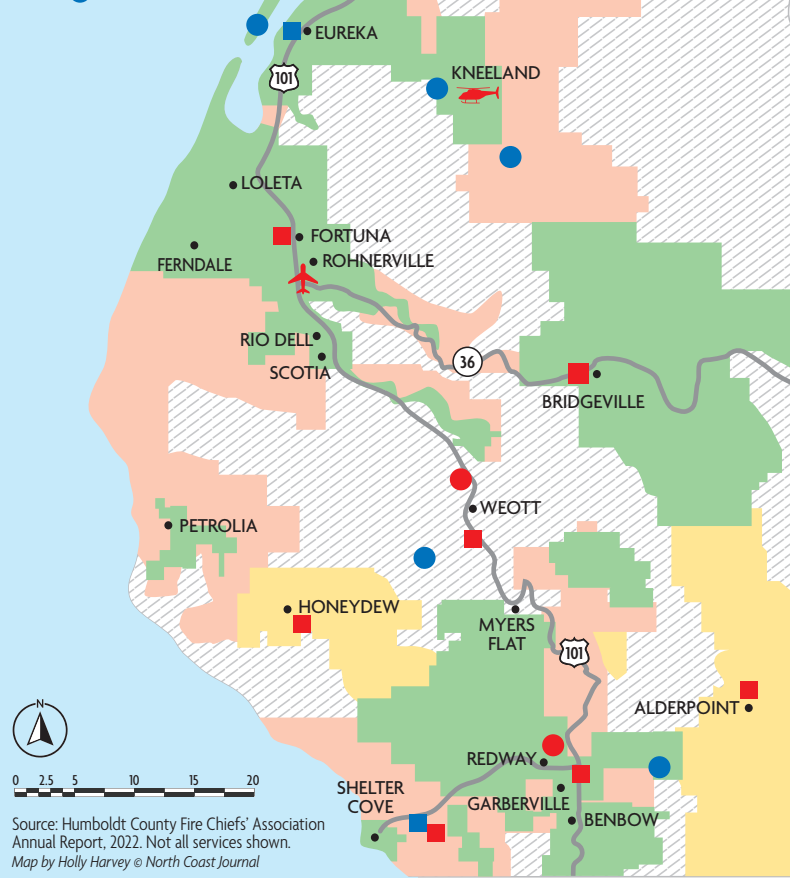
In Ferndale, Chief Rick Nicholson says his department has 26 volunteers, down from 40 to 45 about 15 years ago, when the department received 100 to 150 calls a year compared to the 300 or so it's currently averaging. Garberville Fire Protection District Chief Tim Tietz says he's got about 18 volunteers, down from more than 22, noting there was a time when the department had to "turn people away." The Phillipsville Volunteer Fire Co., meanwhile, has gone dormant after 50 years of service. Unable to recruit enough volunteers to respond to calls, Fire Chief Hank Toberg is working to keep its trucks minimally maintained, hoping they'll be in order if he can one day find the volunteers to operate them.

Chiefs offered a variety of reasons

Humboldt County Fire Services

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- Districts
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- Non-district Response Area
- Tribal
- State and Federal Emergency Response
- Federal Fire Station
- Tribal Fire Station
- CAL FIRE Station
- CAL FIRE Conservation Camp or Fire Center
- Air Attack Base
- Helitack Base
- Lookout



Source: Humboldt County Fire Chiefs' Association Annual Report, 2022. Not all services shown.
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Arcata Fire District personnel at a training with the U.S. Coast Guard.
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for the volunteer shortage, but the consensus seems to be that the job has become significantly more demanding with increased call volumes and mandated trainings, with the state having set nearly equal requirements for volunteers as their career counterparts. Loleta volunteers, for example, meet “every Wednesday night, every month of the year” to keep up with training demands, and that’s after new volunteers have gone through the intensive Eel River Fire Academy.

Tietz says the down economy in Southern Humboldt has made recruiting volunteers especially challenging.

“Everyone has jobs — they have to work. There’s just less money in the community,” Tietz says, noting that the demand for professional firefighters throughout the state has also made it much easier for volunteers to vault into paid positions from the smaller departments that have typically provided a training ground, if not bypassing them altogether.

Derby says the decline in volunteerism isn’t unique to firefighting, noting he’s seeing it across the county.

“We’re in a society that’s more expensive to live in, and people are having to work later into their lives than maybe they planned,” he says, adding that many in Humboldt County are working more than full time just to make ends meet.

The problem has become so pervasive some departments are looking at outside-the-box strategies. For example, the Fortuna Volunteer Fire Department, where the need has become so acute that the department has begun planning to hire more paid positions, Chief Rus Brown has begun rallying community support to offer incentives, like recruiting employers to pledge to pay employees even when called out to a fire response or landlords to offer reduced rent to volunteer firefighters, “anything that makes it a little easier to volunteer.”

‘Something Has to Give’

While the Humboldt County Civil Grand Jury’s latest report focuses solely on Arcata, the dynamic it describes is not unique. Across the county, fire chiefs say they’re trying to navigate a perfect storm of increasing calls and soaring costs with stagnant — and often uncertain — funding.

Nobody seems quite sure why, but every department contacted for this story reported that calls were up in 2023 over 2022 and have only increased in 2024.

“For some reason, they’re just increasing,” said Nicholson, adding that’s true for calls of all types.

Tietz says when he started Garberville was fielding fewer than 100 calls a year while it now responds to 500.

And when a call comes in, departments have to respond, several chiefs said, noting there isn’t the ability to triage the same way police can. Robertson, whose HBF responds to an astronomical average of 7,000 calls a year, says there are also times when calls come in simultaneously reporting a structure fire and a car accident, necessitating parallel responses.

Meanwhile, the costs of operation are similarly spiking. Tietz notes the cost of diesel fuel has doubled in the last few years, as have the department’s insurance costs. Nicholson says Ferndale Fire’s insurance costs spiked \$30,000 last year alone. New state emissions standards and workplace safety requirements have added additional costs that local departments have to bear, Nicholson says.

Equipment costs have also skyrocketed, chiefs say.

In a presentation to the Fortuna City Council earlier this year, Fire Chief Rus Brown said that back in 2020 his department projected replacement costs for two fire engines approaching the end of their lifespans at \$400,000 apiece, while four

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years later that price has leapt to \$900,000 each. And departments have limited ability to adjust revenue models accordingly. Local fire departments take a variety of forms with a corresponding variety of funding mechanisms, with most scraping by on a mix of property tax apportionments, special assessments and grants. Generally, these funding streams are locked in at a stagnant rate that only changes when a tax or assessment sunsets and comes off the books, or is renewed by voters at an elevated rate.

Arcata Fire, for example, has three main sources of revenue. Approximately 40 percent of its budget comes from per-parcel county property tax allocations based on the number of parcels within its district, which remains stagnant year to year. The balance of the department's revenue comes in through a benefit assessment tax passed by voters in 2006 — a set per-property fee that sees homeowners pay \$88 a year annually — and the previously mentioned special tax measure, which will stay stagnant until it expires in 2030.

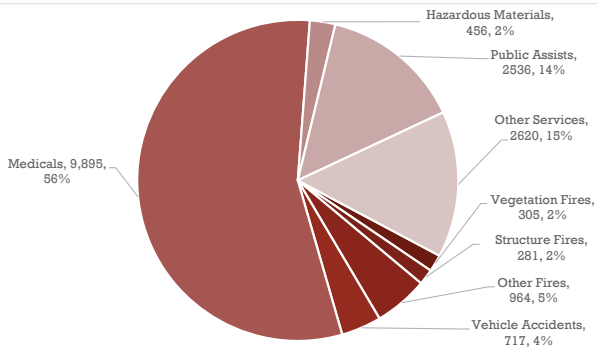
Garberville Fire, meanwhile, depends on its property tax apportionment, a special parcel tax passed last year, an annual community fundraiser and fees earned by aiding CalFire's wildfire responses to make ends meet. Tietz says things are looking up, thanks to the tax measure and the recent annexation of land south through Benbow to the county line, but times have been rough.

"We were struggling to pay our bills for a while," he says. "And that sucks when you have to fundraise to pay your fuel bill."

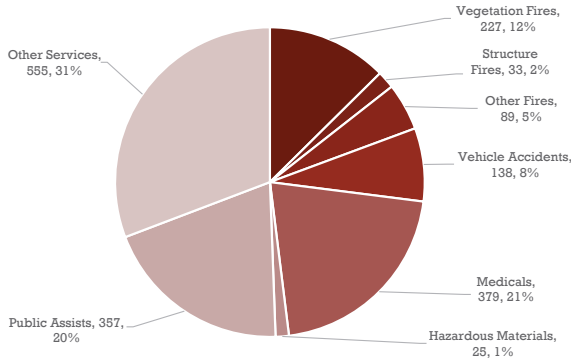
Measure Z, the countywide 0.5 percent sales tax passed in 2014 after a campaign pledging it would go to enhancing public safety services, has been hugely helpful, chiefs say, noting it's helped departments replace safety equipment, trucks and training apparatuses. But as tax revenue has dipped along with the economy, and as ongoing expenses it has pledged to cover in the form of salaried positions in the sheriff's office and other departments continue to rise, there's no longer much left for fire departments.

When it comes to recurring annual

2022 Local Agency Incident Responses
Total Incident Responses: 17,774



2022 Tribal, State, & Federal Agency Incident Responses
Total Incident Responses: 1,803



Humboldt County Fire Chiefs' Association Annual Report, 2022. Submitted
*Other Services include Prescribed Fire; Search & Rescue; Law Enforcement; Emergency Standby; and Miscellaneous.

funds, Nicholson said his department is still working with "revenues from the mid '90s or early 2000s, and that doesn't stretch in 2024." Even from one of the plusher seats in the world of local fire departments, the landscape appears daunting. "Call volumes are only going up," says Emmons. "They're not dropping. The fire industry in Humboldt County is absolutely getting busier. And if the funding is staying flat and things are getting busier, something has to give."

'A Lot of Challenges'

Back at Humboldt Bay Fire, Robertson is hopeful. The department — the product of a consolidation of the Humboldt Bay Fire District and the city of Eureka's municipal department — is governed by a joint powers authority, which recently passed a new memorandum of understanding to significantly increase compensation. The increase gives firefighters a 6-percent raise across the board, to be followed by another 1.5-percent spike next year, with added increases for captains and engineers, and tiered longevity raises. The new deal undeniably makes the department's pay scale more competitive locally, which Robertson hopes will ease its recruitment and retention struggles and get it back on track toward full staffing.

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But for how long in an industry experiencing a statewide arms race for professional firefighters remains an open question.

Throughout the county, departments are struggling to find answers.

After the Tubbs Fire in 2017 caused an estimated \$1.2 billion in losses in Santa Rosa alone, Sonoma County revamped its approach to fire districts. Through a concerted effort, the county saw its 43 fire departments consolidate into 23 in an effort to create economies of scale, with the county also pledging a number of ongoing funding sources, including a portion of its transient occupancy tax revenue and a special 0.5 percent sales tax passed in March to exclusively fund fire prevention and disaster response.

Some point to Sonoma as a possible model, though it would be a complicated road.

Tietz says the process of Garberville annexing the district boundaries to its south took seven years of work and negotiations, including hundreds of hours of meetings. That's a heavy lift for a department already struggling to fulfill its day-to-day duties.

One fire chief interviewed for this story referred to consolidation as the “dirty little turd in the room,” noting it's an arduous and complicated process, and one that necessitates relinquishing local control.

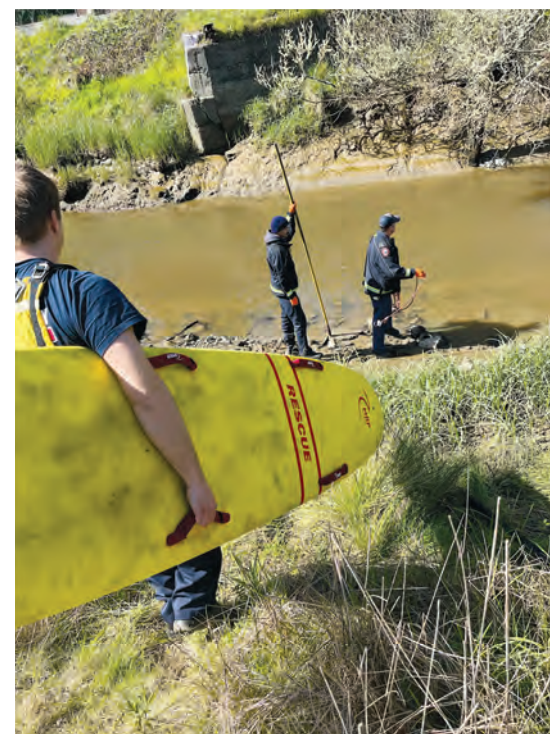
Some have suggested departments that serve areas along Avenue of the Giants — including Phillipsville, Myers Flat, Miranda and Fruitland Ridge — consolidate into an Avenue Fire District, though the idea doesn't seem to have gotten much traction to date.

Speaking generally about the topic of consolidation, Nicholson says, “On paper, it's simple. Pulling it off in real life, there's a lot of challenges.”

Derby, for his part, says consolidation may bring benefits but quickly adds that it seems unlikely to generate more volunteers or applicants for firefighting positions. And while some would like to see a countywide tax measure that would solely fund fire services put before voters, most concede it would be a hard sell to voters, who are already facing stretched household budgets and are already slated to see a variety of tax measures on their ballots this November.

The reality, most chiefs say, is departments will likely have to continue to scrap things together and help each other.

McDonald says that while most agencies on the North Coast used to be able



Humboldt Bay Fire personnel at the scene of water rescue. Submitted

to handle a residential structure fire on their own, they now coordinate mutual aid responses from multiple agencies.

“We totally depend on our volunteer neighbors and we return the favor,” he says, adding that such collaborative responses will likely increase.

And even if residents don't have the time or physical ability to sign up as a local volunteer firefighter, there are a host of things they can do to help departments continue to respond to emergency calls. Nicholson urges people to shop local, noting it boosts sales tax revenue — including Measure Z — that can go to support local services. Others stress that just because someone can't lift a hose or donate out of pocket doesn't mean they can't help organize a fundraiser, volunteer to fill an administrative role or otherwise lend their department a helping hand. Robison encourages folks to talk to their supervisors and elected officials to advocate for local fire services.

And sitting in that conference room on C Street, Harlander says those who are physically able should consider a career in fire.

“For me, it's the best job in the world,” he says, recounting how it's allowed him to do everything from saving a tortoise from a structure fire to helping a local elder with their smoke alarm. “It's a great career. Every day is different.” ●

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My Juneteenth Revelation of Embracing Culture in Humboldt

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My great-great-granny Momma Martha, my great-granny Madea and my granny Jonnie saw the remnants of slavery, the peak of Jim Crow, witnessed MLK Jr. speak and experienced so many other pivotal Black moments that I've only read about in books. Growing up in East Texas, everything granny Jonnie did felt like Black History Month, her life lessons to me always focused on education, the trials and tribulations I'll face as a Black man, the importance of looking back to our ancestors, and honoring those who paved a way for us to be here.

I lost Madea and Momma Martha to sickness and old age, and they never saw their small peanut farm of grandchildren grow into the thriving adults we are today. I remember conversations with them fantasizing about having a Black president, and that if I work hard, I could be that president.

Though I didn't understand then, I realize now that most of their lessons came with the baggage of lived trauma and a time where Black joy was secondary. Though I know it existed, listening to their stories, it felt like Black joy more often came with consequences. The harrowing Billie Holiday song "Strange Fruit" was their lived experience and, in some ways over time, it became mine as well. But later in life, Juneteenth would help shift my perspective, teaching me it's OK to celebrate yourself.

Though I was taught the origins of this historic moment in grade school (thank you, Texas History), as a kid, it was sold to me and other Black kids as a white savior story, though way before I knew what that



Lorna "DJ L Boogie" Bryant led the audience in singing along to "Someday ..." by Charles Jenkins at the Juneteenth Celebration.

Photo by Mark Larson

term meant. As that story went, a white man signed a piece of paper that says Black folks are free, after which another group of white men came to tell us we were free — saving us from the bad white oppressors. It sounds like a Marvel movie to me.

My local hip-hop station 102.7 FM The Blaze had been throwing Juneteenth parties on the Whiley College campus since I could remember. My granny's house sat four blocks away from the campus and on Juneteenth I could smell the barbecue smoke wafting on the air into my bedroom. You could hear the drumline in full swing throughout the neighborhood, along with the laughter of kids running around and playing games, the hip hop and R&B music booming.

There'd be the random forming of a *Soul Train* line at a family cookout or the Electric Slide that would have even granny "shaking some tail feather." What I've come to learn about Juneteenth is that it's an underrated holiday eclipsed by Black History Month. Both are important, acknowledging the history of how far we've come, but Juneteenth doesn't have the same educational burden as Black History Month because it's associated with Black celebration. It's Black joy at its finest.

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Attendees shared free flower bouquets at a booth at the fifth annual Juneteenth Celebration organized by Black Humboldt, this year on June 22 at Halvorsen Park.
Photo by Mark Larson

Now I'm a Black man living in Humboldt, a place known for its love of Big-foot, cannabis and big-ass redwood trees.

Though I've done stories on communities and organizations of color, like Black Humboldt, this area can be forbidding to people of color. It can make you feel alone. So hearing Black Humboldt was throwing its fifth Juneteenth festival, I was excited to see, "Where my people at?"

It also made me wonder what a Juneteenth festival would be like in a place far beyond my deep South's Bible-Belt bubble of influence. Juneteenth in Humboldt wouldn't be Texas with family.

But just like I would see back home, underneath the dew-dropped isolation and the challenges people of color in Humboldt face finding community, I saw the African dance circles on the day of celebration, heard Kendrick Lamar's "They Not Like us" at least three times and found joy in watching a mixed community of kids share Double-Dutch and other outside games. As Jerk Kitchen and Taste of Bim were firing on all cylinders, the delicious smells of barbecued jerk chicken, rice and peas, and other island spices filled the Saturday air.

Another highlight was the Black talent that had rocked the Old Town Gazebo the night before. Seeing Emcee Radioactive perform at the festival was awesome, especially because I'd met him at The Epitome Gallery days before the Juneteenth performance. We had talked about art and community, and he even gave me this dope sticker he designed, and I felt that connection when I saw him perform.

Perhaps most importantly, these four days brought out the biggest concentrations of Black and brown people I've seen

together in one place since relocating to the North Coast.

Black Pride was in full effect on Juneteenth, as well, with local drag queen Garlic Bread, representing as the only Black drag queen in Humboldt, incorporating traditional and newer drag styles, along with a Vouge performance from the Los Angeles ballroom scene's House of Marc Jacobs. Watching the leather-clad ballroom dancers Vouge, all I could think was, "They gotta be hot in all that leather."

Seeing Kintay Johnson's face when one of the dancers flipped from the stage to in front of the audience was priceless.

What makes Juneteenth great here in Humboldt is that it isn't trying to be Juneteenth in Texas, because Blackness isn't a singular experience. We're a small group here in Humboldt, and Juneteenth offered a space for us to celebrate together as a diverse, nurturing, intentional community, uniquely Black in Humboldt.

How we celebrate an event like Juneteenth is up to the people in the community, and though I have my own Hulk-sized bias of childhood nostalgia, what I saw these four days in Humboldt captured the joyful essence of Juneteenth — which is especially precious in a place where I don't regularly see many people who look like me.

Since June of 1865, when Union soldiers arrived in Galveston, Texas, to announce the end of slavery after the Emancipation Proclamation was issued by President Abraham Lincoln, Black people have continued fighting to find acceptance. My granny always said, "Your problems aren't what makes you, it's how you handle them that does." After this past week, I feel validated that Juneteenth does what Black History Month can't fully

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Ted Hsu: From Science Geek to Tarot Artist

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Ted Hsu is not your typical occult artist. While he has dabbled in art his entire life, when it came to choosing a career, he took on a “real” profession: neuroscience. As happens in life, though, we don’t always stay on the path we set out on. The study of tarot can teach us a little bit about such life choices and the weaving of our many destinies.

Fittingly, tarot is exactly what Hsu has been spending much of his professional time on lately. He’s illustrated his own deck of tarot cards, Tarot of the Guiding Muse, using his background as a painter and illustrator. His tarot card images are a whimsical, fresh take on traditional tarot representations, utilizing both vibrant splashes of color and the dark, shadowy light that tarot images often contain. Never one to focus on drawing people, Hsu has incorporated sharp yet cartoon-like designs of a woman (his wife) into almost every card, keeping her face a stark black-and-white image with little detail. His work is fun yet a bit spooky, and very reminiscent of Japanese anime.

Hsu and his family immigrated to the

United States from Taiwan in the early 1990s. Raised by a single mother he calls “eccentric,” they shuffled between different religions throughout his childhood as his mom sought spiritual guidance. “My mom is interesting in the sense that she sort of did a lot of soul-searching,” said Hsu. “She is very much into the melding of eastern and western philosophies. It kind of motivated me to be a neuroscientist. As we kind of got into and out of different rules to live by, I thought to myself, ‘What better way to understand the intricacies of life than to study the brain?’”

Art was a big part of Hsu’s life until graduate school. He took art classes in high school and painted as a hobby in college. But when he went to the University of Southern California for a graduate degree in neuroscience in 2012, his creative endeavors took a backseat to scientific study. Hsu met his wife Emily Nakamoto while at USC and the two moved to Chicago where he did his post-doctoral fellowship, while she attended graduate school. While he still had opportunities to do art, for some years that meant scientific figures, the occasional scientific journal

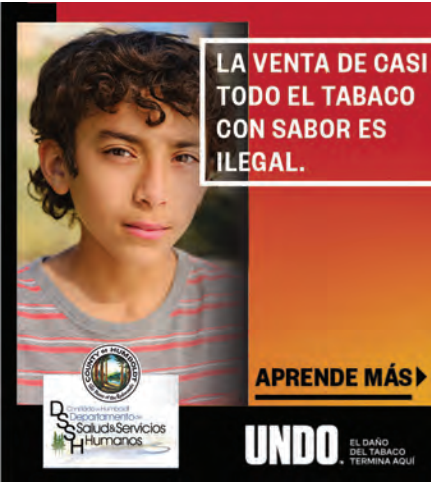
cover and the like. And then, COVID hit.

“Like many, I sort of had an existential crisis during that time. I started doing more art after work and it planted the seed in my head that maybe there was an opportunity to be more serious about art,” said Hsu. “But it was just a seed, really. I had always planned on being a scientist for the rest of my life.”

When Hsu’s wife got a job in Humboldt County as a criminalist with the California State Department of Justice, he had a decision to make. Would he have a long-distance marriage? Would he move into an academic career? How could he make this leap to Humboldt County? The couple spent some time long-distance but they knew it was not sustainable. As Hsu grappled with what to do, he thought a lot about his mentor in Chicago and what he’d taught him about balancing life and family, and not taking the joyous family parts for granted. So he made the leap.

Once in Humboldt, it was clear that neuroscience jobs were few and far between. Hsu found himself with a lot of

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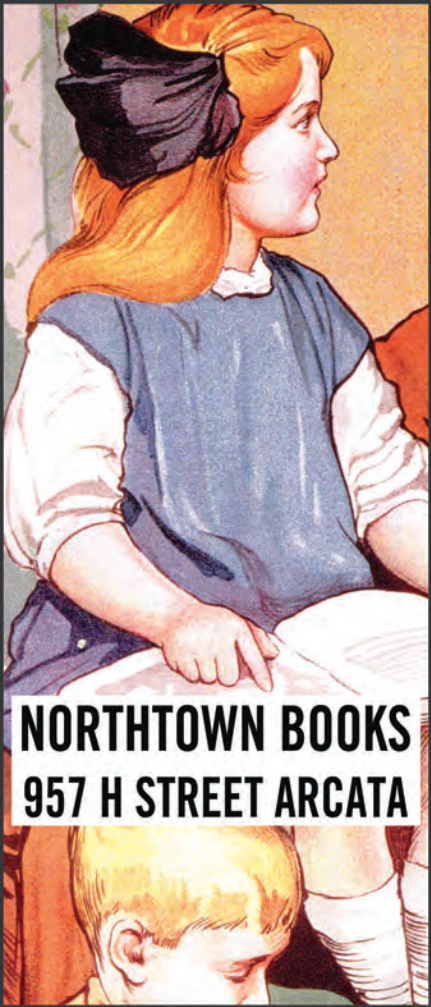
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The Knight of Cups card from Ted Hsu's Tarot of the Guiding Muse. Submitted

Artist Ted Hsu. Submitted

time on his hands and delved further into art. Soon, he was deeply immersed in the local art community.

"I don't think I would have pursued art if we had moved to a different place," said Hsu. "The people here have been really welcoming and inspiring, and in general just really friendly. I was part of Raelina Krikston's Solstice art collective for about a year or so, and I really credit her support in helping to launch a lot of the things I have been involved with. HAPI [Humboldt Asians & Pacific Islanders in Solidarity] also welcomed us into the community and have supported my art since we have moved here."

Hsu's wife was interested in tarot cards at the time and Hsu saw illustrating all 78 of the cards in the deck as a rewarding project. "They already have some underlying meaning to them," he said. "I found it an artistic challenge to recreate them with my imagery while keeping them meaning-based."

Focusing on online resources and a book called *Modern Tarot* by Michelle Tea, Hsu studied the tarot cards and their meanings. Grounding his work in the original Rider Waite interpretations of the cards, he started drawing pictures inspired by both the cards and daily life with his wife and cat. Eventually, he incorporated his baby son, too.

"Part of the inspiration for that was this idea of not taking these daily life things for granted," Hsu said. "During my career as a scientist, I sort of took for granted a lot of the things that really, truly make us happy — our families, the time we spend with them, sort of the little day-by-day things. What better way to appreciate these things than to do art inspired by my wife and cats and my now 8-month-old son?"



After about a year and a half of concentrated work, the Tarot of the Guiding Muse deck is now complete. The images of Hsu's family life as depicted on the cards are inspired by Japanese cinematic influences like *My Neighbor Totoro*, as well as the colors and intricacies of Japanese woodblock printing, and the bold linework of American traditional tattoo art. Describing his work as an amalgamation of these three things, Hsu is proud his deck features an Asian American woman and represents the things he loves so dearly, along with the traditional meanings of tarot.

Thanks to a successful Kickstarter campaign, the Tarot of the Guiding Muse is currently in production. It should be available via Hsu's website tedhsu.art and in various brick-and-mortar stores throughout Humboldt by early July. ●

Tamar Burris (she/her) is a freelance education writer and relationship coach. Her book for children of divorce *A New Special Friend* is available through her website tamarburris.com.

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Watercolors by Carolyn Cook at Trinidad Art Gallery. *Submitted*

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Zero the Hero

By Collin Yeo

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As far as humiliation rituals go, another debate between two of the oldest and worst men to ever run for president (with four more years of decrepitude stacked on since their previous show-down) seems like something beneath the dignity of most people I know. When Alexis de Tocqueville gave his speech on socialism — he wasn't a fan — in the wake of the 1848 fall of the July Monarchy and the beginning of the Second French Republic, he praised America and its democracy, while warning that France was "sitting on a volcano" when it came to unease and revolution.

A lot can change in nearly two centuries but two things are pretty clear on the eve of America's 248th birthday: We are not currently any clear-thinking person's model of an ideal representative democracy and there is no danger of any volcanic momentum of change coming to fix that. If entropy had a governing political system guiding it towards an inert breakdown, ours would be a perfect candidate. And you know what? There's freedom there. Not the mythical freedom of our nation's foundation, but a freedom in knowing that we really don't have to debate this, care about it on a national level, or watch two evil, ancient morons yell in near-coherence over each other about the virtues and failures of their respective management techniques. You don't have to argue with your friends and neighbors, or even anyone, about any of this, because it is all so unbelievably stupid. We are truly, finally free.

Especially here in Humboldt, where the electoral college has already made November's choice for us and, even if there were a primary, our Congressman would, as he did in 2020, endorse someone other than who we preferred according to the numbers. We are free to live untethered by any consideration of representation or political culpability, and we can fill our minds with thoughts of greater things. Embrace it, celebrate it and shine on in the absurd glory of your own yearning destiny. Have a beautiful week.

Thursday

Longtime Logger Bar regular **Kaptain Kirk** is providing the musical entertainment at that fine establishment tonight at 8 p.m. I think I've walked in on a past performance or two, but my mind isn't what it used to be, so the only notes I have are free-associative: "cosmic," "trippy fun" and, most importantly, "free," in both spirit and the monetary sense.

Friday

I'll toss out three all-ages gigs from McKinleyville to Eureka (in order of time) and you can decide which ones warrant further examinations. At 5 p.m. at Six Rivers Brewery, **Oryan Peterson-Jones** plays a free set of his world-traveling inspired guitar picking. Two hours later at 7 p.m. at the Outer Space, you will find an indie music set featuring Brooklyn's **Scout Gillett** as well as local players **Blood Hunny** and **Spider Fight** (\$5-\$420) sliding scale, but NOTAFLOF).

An hour later at 8 p.m. at Siren's Song Tavern in Eureka, touring Rockabilly act **The Rocketz** are back in at it again, with rockerz **Dead Drift** representing the local sonic pyrotechnics guild (\$10).

Saturday

Summer means festival season and although I've been a little lax about reporting on all of the grouped-up goings on around here, I can't miss reporting on this metalworks happening at the Mateel today. The **Nor-Cal Headbanger's Ball** will feature 13 bands from the Bay Area and above. Rather than list the entire lineup, I'll give you a taste of the local flavor, which includes: **Bloodspire**, **Malicious Algorithm**, **Locust Furnace**, **Echoes of Ruination** and **Sadistic Hallucinations**. This all-ages mini-fest boasts a 1 p.m. start time and is being put on through the efforts of Austin Spence from Willits' **Embryonic Devourment**, who wants you to know that there will be food vendors, alcohol for sale for those of legal age and a light show during the times of savage riffage.



Scout Gillett plays Outer Space at 7 p.m. on Friday, June 28. Photo by Chelsea Palatucci, Submitted

The \$25 fee seems like a steal to me for a marathon of crucial amperage.

Sunday

The Fieldbrook Winery continues its Sunday summer concert series at 2 p.m. today. This afternoon's talent is the **Claire Bent Jazz Quintet** and no door cover means you have pocket change to spare for refreshments in the pastoral vintner's setting.

Monday

Another relatively quiet night here in our remote coastal outpost, which means I'm going to plot out another quick pitch to celebrate the music of a lost musician from last year. Tonight's artist is **Brian McBride**, one-half of influential Austin, Texas, duo **Stars of the Lid**, whose musical output starting in the early '90s created a new blueprint for countless post-rock, drone, and ambient groups to follow. Beyond the world of live music, Stars of the Lid influenced the direction of film scores, art installations and the soundtrack of creative life in general in the early years of the 21st century. By the time the duo released its acclaimed double album *And Their Refinement of the Decline* in 2007, they were already sitting on a decade and a half of game changing sonic architecture. So although it's quite sad he passed at only 53, McBride's life can be celebrated by more good music than most artists create with decades more time. Cop a listen outside on a warm night with a field of stars overhead and you'll see what I mean.

Tuesday

It's Taco Tuesday again at Richards' Goat and the connected Miniplex venue is putting on a NOTAFLOF show headlined by Eugene-to-San Francisco queer honky tonk band **Country Risqué**, whose tunes sound like the late Gram Parsons MC-ing a drag show set in the world of Robert Altman's *Nashville*. Also on board with these Grievous Angels are local heroes **Lxs Perdidxs** (\$10-\$15 if you feel so inclined).

Wednesday

As it is the day before our nation's version of a birthday/official display of supreme loyalty, it seems like as good a time as any to enjoy a work of complete fiction, specifically about America warding off, rather than creating, a dire existential threat to our species and the world at large. I am talking about the 1996 flick **Independence Day**, which is screening at the Arcata Theatre Lounge tonight at 6 p.m. Just \$6 gets you in the door, \$10 gets the same but lets you leave with a poster. And the movie really isn't bad — it's good, dumb fun, which seems fitting given how unimaginably bad everything else is nowadays.

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Collin Yeo (he/him) saw a screaming crew of crows over the Mad River last week whose cawing dispatches had more coherence than our state's housing policies. He lives in Arcata.

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THE BASEMENT 780 Seventh St., Arcata (707) 845-2309	Claire Bent Jazz Quintet 8 p.m. Free	Big8 (American roots) 9 p.m.-midnight Free	Magnificent Sanctuary Band (Jerry Garcia) 8 p.m. \$5		
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The Riches of The Poor of New York

By Mark Larson

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Our lives through these past pandemic years have been a little melodramatic — as well as lonely and heart-wrenching at times. It's also been a disappointing five years since the last Dell'Arte International summer show within the now renamed Baduwa't Festival in Blue Lake. Performed in a welcome return to vintage DAI comedic style, this production of melodrama *The Poor of New York* will lighten your spirits and make you laugh with its skillful political and humorous Humboldt-related references written into the plot that originally premiered in New York City in 1857.

Without revealing all the plot details, Shawn Wagner, playing the greedy, spoiled



Tisha Sloan, Everson Ndlovu, Alyssa Hughlett, David Ferney and Ben Clifton in *The Poor of New York*. Photo by Mark Larson

and manipulative Alida Bloodgood, has said, "The best part of playing a villain is being booed." Her talented, over-the-top performance and that of Evan Grande as her cold-hearted, villainous banker father Gideon Bloodgood earned loud, frequent boos on opening night.

The creative use of the outdoor DAI mainstage set created by Lynnie Horrigan allows entertaining physical theater action from the financially strapped Puffy family, with stand-out performances by Benjamin Clifton, MorTisha Sloan and David Ferney. Julie Douglas, DAI head of arts engagement, portrays well the villainous clerk Badger. Tony Fuemmeler, DAI head of training programs, may have set back the use of tight uniform shorts worn by sheriff

personnel by decades with his attention-capturing role of the local sheriff.

We can all agree director and actor Michael Fields knows how to direct and act in melodrama. He enters *The Poor of New York's* stage early as the Captain who entrusts his wealth with the banker — only for the Captain to fall dead after a heart attack soon after. Fields says, "I believe in the seriousness of comedy," an approach that makes the melodrama worth attending. His use of the classic unrequited love interest between Lucy (Alyssa Hughlett) and Mark Livingston (Everson Ndlovu), and the poverty endured by the Puffy family (more boos for banker Gideon Bloodgood) creates perfect literal space on a darkened stage after intermission for Hughlett's serious soliloquy, which entertains without preaching.

And, of course, all's well that ends well with the complex dilemma faced by Lucy and Mark. The same goes for the production, thanks to the talented directing and ensemble cast performances. Great original music is created by The Left Fields band with Tim Randles, Marla Joy, Jeff Kelley and James Forrest/Mike LaBolle. Stage lighting, sound and technical details were handled well by Spike Foster, Brandon Hook and Tony Cogliati (who also filled two minor roles on stage).

Start time is at 8 p.m. under the stars or the fog (bring a camping chair or a blanket and dress warmly). Get tickets to the remaining shows on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays on June 28-30 and July 5-7, and all other 2024 Baduwa't Festival events at delarte.com/baduwa-t-festival-2024. ●

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Michael Fields directs and acts in the Dell'Arte production.

Photo by Mark Larson

Calendar

June 27, – July 4, 2024



The Scotia Band. Submitted



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Bountiful June has five Sundays and, as such, the **Humboldt Botanical Garden's Summer Music Series**, which has concerts in the garden every first and third Sunday, has a bonus concert this week. Come out to the garden and enjoy timeless tunes from the **Scotia Band** on **Sunday, June 30**, from **1 to 3 p.m.** (regular garden admission, free for HBG members). Concerts are catered by Stephanie's Home Cooking with local beer and wine. You are also welcome to bring your own picnic lunch. Please note, non-service dogs are not allowed at HBG special events.

The fourth annual **Ferndale Pride March**, hosted by Lost Coast Pride, waves its rainbow flag **Sunday, June 30**, from **noon to 5 p.m.** at **Ferndale Firemen's Park** (free). This vibrant event celebrates the LGBTQ+ community and promotes inclusivity in the city of Ferndale. Attendees can expect a lively atmosphere filled with music, performances and a strong sense of unity. The march serves as a platform to advocate for equality and support for all individuals, fostering a welcoming environment in which everyone can be their authentic selves.

The **Fortuna Fireworks Festival**, held on **Wednesday, July 3**, from **5:30 p.m. to dark** at **Newburg Park**, is the traditional early kick-off to America's birthday celebration (free admission, \$10 kids wristbands for three hours of unlimited fun from 5:30-8:30 p.m.). The party at the park will have kids' activities, food vendors, food trucks, cotton candy, wood-fired pizza and more, all culminating in the spectacular fireworks display at dusk. Bring lawn chairs and blankets, or find a spot in the bleachers. Parking is available only in two lots: in the field right past Newburg Park and in the Gene Lucas Community Center parking lot (\$5 a car).

27 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing at Synopsis. 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. With a live model. Bring your own art supplies. Call to contact Clint. \$5. synopsisperformance.com. (707) 362-9392.

May/June Art Show. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Copies of winning artwork from the 21st annual Student Bird Art Contest are on display.

Wa Hinthil Come North - Group Pomo Exhibition. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Goudi'ni Native American Arts Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Extended run of an exhibition focusing on Pomo worldview through artwork, regalia, photography and basketry. Curated by Meyo Marrufo (Eastern Pomo) features 11 artists. Through June and by appointment. Free. rbg@humboldt.edu. artfilm.humboldt.edu/galleries/goudini-native-american-arts-gallery/wa-hinthil-come-north. (707) 826-3629.

MUSIC

Eureka Summer Concert Series. 6-8 p.m. Madaket Plaza, Foot of C Street, Eureka. Open-air concert by the bay every Thursday during summer except July 4. June 27: Dave Perez Band (Latin hits), no concert July 4. Free.

THEATER

Big Bug Island. 8 p.m. 5th and D Street Theater, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. Live-action theatrical experiment from The Mystical A/V Club and Magenta Mountain. \$20, \$18 students/seniors. ncrt.net.

EXIT Theatre's Short Play Festival. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. Full stage productions of 12 selected plays by local, national and international playwrights, featuring local actors, directors and technicians. theexit.org.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Dell'Arte International presents the 34th festival (formerly called the Mad River Festival) of theater, entertainment, music and performance. This year also marks the 50th anniversary of Dell'Arte International's home in Blue Lake. dellarte.com.

Creatives Mixer. 5:30-7:30 p.m. The Pub at The Creamery, 824 L St., Suite A, Arcata. Join the Humboldt Creative Alliance to catch up with your artist friends and meet new people. Free. humcocreativealliance@gmail.com. (210) 364-7024.

FOOD

Henderson Center Certified Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. Fruits and vegetables, baked goods, jams, nursery plants, music and hot food vendors. No pets allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. CalFresh EBT customers receive a market match at every farmers market. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/hendersoncenter.html. (707) 441-9999.

Willow Creek Certified Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Veteran's Park, Gower Lane, Willow Creek. Fruits and vegetables, fish, music and hot food vendors. No pets allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. CalFresh EBT customers receive a market match at every farmers market. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/willowcreek.html. (707) 441-9999.

GARDEN

Community Compost Drop-Off. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Freshwater Farms Reserve, 5851 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. Redwood Community Action Agency offers food waste drop-off (up to 5 gallons/week). Bring kitchen or yard food scraps and help build compost for the community u-pick garden at the reserve. Email or call to sign up. Sliding scale donation to \$10. mdrummond@rcaa.org. (707) 269-2071.

OUTDOORS

Nature Quest. 3-6 p.m. Headwaters Forest Reserve, End of Elk River Road, 6 miles off U.S. Highway 101, Eureka. Explore trails and share mindfulness practices, group conversation and other eco-therapeutic activities. Transportation available for Eureka residents. Call to pre-register. Free. chaskell@eurekaca.gov. eurekaheroes.org. (707) 382-5338.

ETC

OUT 4 Business. Last Thursday of every month, 5-7 p.m. Phatsy Kline's Parlor Lounge, 139 Second St., Eureka. An LGBTQ+ professionals networking mixer providing an open and welcoming environment for all people of the LGBTQ+ community as well as friends, allies and business professionals who value diversity and inclusivity. events@historiceaglehouse.com. fb.me/e/3XK7QZyuk. (707) 444-3344.

28 Friday

ART

Life Drawing Sessions. 10 a.m.-noon. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. Hosted by Joyce Jonté. \$10, cash or Venmo.

Wa Hinthil Come North - Group Pomo Exhibition. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Goudi'ni Native American Arts Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. See June 27 listing.

BOOKS

Weekly Preschool Story Time. Eureka Library, 1313 Third St. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in the children's room. For children 2 to 6 years old with their caregivers. Other family members are welcome to join in the fun. Free. manthony@co.humboldt.ca.us. humlib.org. (707) 269-1910.

DANCE

Jammin Friday. Fourth Friday of every month, 7:30-10:30 p.m. Arcata Veterans Hall, 1425 J St. Monthly

swing dance with included lesson at 7:30 p.m., music and dancing at 8:30 p.m. \$15 (w/band), \$10 (no band), free for U.S. military veterans. loverlipe@gmail.com. fb.me/e/1mtainmOf. (707) 616-8484.

LECTURE

Science on Tap: Innovative Strategies in Forestry and Restoration. 6-8 p.m. Mad River Brewing Co. & Tap Room, 101 Taylor Way, Blue Lake. An evening of knowledge sharing about the forests we call home with Lucy Kerhoulas and Lathrop Leonard. Free. info@erwig.org. erwig.org/science-on-tap.html.

THEATER

Big Bug Island. 8 p.m. 5th and D Street Theater, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. See June 27 listing.

EXIT Theatre's Short Play Festival. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. See June 27 listing.

The Poor Of New York. 8-10 p.m. Dell'Arte Amphitheatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Kick off the summer with laughter and tears as Michael Fields directs a cast of Dell'Artians in a popular theater performance of an original adaptation of a classic American melodrama. \$20-\$25. info@dellarte.com. dellarte.com/onstage/. (707) 668-5663.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

Friday Night Market. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Old Town, Eureka, 317 Third St. A bustling farmers market, arts and craft vendors, bar featuring Humboldt-produced beverages, a variety of food vendors and live music for dancing on three stages. Free.

FOR KIDS

Kid's Night at the Museum. 5:30-8 p.m. Redwood Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Drop off your 3.5-12 year old for interactive exhibits, science experiments, crafts and games, exploring the planetarium, playing in the water table or jumping into the soft blocks. \$17-\$20. info@discovery-museum.org. discovery-museum.org/classesprograms.html. (707) 443-9694.

Weekly Preschool Storytime. Eureka Library, 1313 Third St. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in the children's room. For children 2 to 6 years old with their caregivers and other family members. Free. manthony@co.humboldt.ca.us. humboldtgov.org/Calendar.aspx?EID=8274. (707) 269-1910.

FOOD

Garberville Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Meat, eggs, produce, oysters, plants, mushrooms, jam, hot food and art. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. CalFresh EBT customers are able to receive a market match at every farmers market. (707) 441-9999.

29 Saturday

ART

Trinidad Art Night for June. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. Featuring Blue Rhythm Review at Saunders Plaza East. Town-wide art walk with live music, artist receptions, classes, crafts, face-painting, pop-up sales and silks or fire performances by Circus of Elements. Free. trinidadartnight.com.

DANCE

Duchess Burlesque Presents Card Trixx. 7-9 p.m.

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The Historic Eagle House, 139 Second St., Eureka. An evening of tarot and burlesque. Doors at 6 p.m. \$20, \$40 VIP. events@historiceaglehouse.com. facebook.com/events/s/duchess-burlesque-presents-car/412667071652689/. (707) 444-3344.

MUSIC

Live Music Saturdays and Sundays. 2-4:30 p.m. Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Road. Enjoy live music, wine/beer and food. Free entry. fieldbrook-winery.com.

North Coast Choral Artists Present *Something Sacred, Something Wild*. 7-8:30 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church, 1428 H St., Eureka. Program includes Randall Thompson's "Alleluia," Gabriel Fauré's "Cantique de Jean Racine" and the first movement of Leonard Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms," plus newer works. Merry Phillips plays the piano and the Kegg pipe organ. \$20 cash at the door. northcoastchoralartists@gmail.com. facebook.com/search/top?q=north%20coast%20choral%20artists.

Shredding Hunger! Benefit for Food for People. 7 p.m.-midnight. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Featuring local bands ThunderCloud, Red Hot Shame, The Widdershins and Matthew Wallace & the Shredding Hunger band. All-ages event. \$10 suggested donation. cweissbluth@foodforpeople.org. facebook.com/events/989622595908376. (707) 445-3166.

THEATER

Big Bug Island. 8 p.m. 5th and D Street Theater, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. See June 27 listing.

EXIT Theatre's Short Play Festival. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. See June 27 listing.

The Poor Of New York. 8-10 p.m. Dell'Arte Amphitheatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 28 listing.

EVENTS

20,000 Leagues Under the Sea Vintage Bazaar. 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Block and Tackle Designs, 12812 Avenue of the Giants, Myers Flat. Local vendors, food, Kids Korner and live music from Old Viejo Bones, 3D Man and Intergalactic Trash. Family-friendly, pet-friendly. Free. blockandtackledesigns@gmail.com. fb.me/e/yGUMx37CS. (520) 732-9359.

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

Beginnings' 50th Anniversary Celebration and Reunion. 3-10 p.m. Beginnings Octagon, 5 Cemetery Road, Redway. Live music, storytelling, family activities and a historical photo exhibition. Local food and drinks, beer and wine bar. Bring your own stories and photos to share. Bring plates and cutlery to make this a low-impact event. Free. beginningsoutreach@gmail.com. (707) 923-3617.

Carole's Critters - Pet Adoption and Fundraising. 12-4 p.m. Blue Lake Casino & Hotel, 777 Casino Way. Six animal shelters and rescues with adoptable pets. Food trucks, dunk tank, pet costume contest. Vendors, Bloodmobile, piggy kissing booth, 50/50 raffle, live music, beer, live radio broadcast. Benefits Redwood Pals Rescue, Companion Animal Foundation and Karuna Rescue. \$10 suggested or a pet food donation, free for kids under 12.

Human Trafficking Awareness Walk. 12-2 p.m. Carson Park, H and Buhne streets, Eureka. Show solidarity for survivors of human trafficking and help raise awareness around this community health

issue. Registration required. Free, donations appreciated. humboldtagainsttrafficking@gmail.com. docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdNmVQY-tE9C4hpGsN8DlctRKEQCWpr7TIJs67LEMfJlkmjCrw/viewform.

Open House and Disaster Preparedness Fair. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Fortuna Volunteer Fire Department, 320 South Fortuna Blvd. Kid's firefighter obstacle course, a "rescue the teddy bear" technical rescue station, informational booths by local emergency services agencies, fire truck rides and the CalFire helicopter, scheduled to land around 10:30 a.m. Free.

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Humboldt-County-Grown and GMO-free produce along with plants, meats and other products. Live music.

OUTDOORS

Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Bird Walk. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring binoculars and meet trip leader Dan Greaney at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) in Arcata for easy-to-walk trails and a diverse range of shorebirds, migratory songbirds and raptors, and resident birds. Free. rras.org.

FOAM Marsh Tour. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Meet leader Renshin Bunce at 2 p.m. in the lobby of the Interpretive Center on South G Street for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine walk. She will focus on local history, innovative aspects of wastewater management at the Marsh, and identification and factoids about birds and plants seen along the way. Free. (707) 826-2359.

ETC

Adult Skate Night. Last Saturday of every month, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Skating Rink, Rohner Park. Ages 18 and older only. IDs checked at door. Alcohol and drug-free event. \$5.50 includes skate rental.

Thursday-Friday-Saturday Canteen. 3-9 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Enjoy a cold beverage in the canteen with comrades. Play pool or darts. If you're a veteran, this place is for you. Free. PearceHansen999@outlook.com. (707) 443-5331.

30 Sunday

ART

Trinidad Artisans Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Murphy's Market Deli, Trinidad, 1 Main St. Art, crafts, live music and barbecue Every Sunday through Sept. 13. Free. murphysmarkets.net. (707) 834-8720.

DANCE

Afro-Fusion Feel and Flow. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301J St., Arcata. Explore and enjoy a fusion of West African movements from Guinea, Senegal, Liberia, Congo and Mali with the genre of Afro beats and traditional West African drumming. \$10-\$15. together@sanctuaryarcata.org. sanctuaryarcata.org. (707) 822-0898.

MUSIC

Live Music Saturdays and Sundays. 2-4:30 p.m. Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Road. See June 29 listing.

North Coast Choral Artists Present *Something*

Sacred, Something Wild. 4-5:30 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church, 1428 H St., Eureka. See June 29 listing.

HBG's Summer Music Series. 1-3 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, College of the Redwoods campus, north entrance, Eureka. Enjoy live music in the garden every first and third Sunday from June-Oct. hbgef.org.

Summer Music Series Bonus June Concert. 1-3 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, College of the Redwoods campus, north entrance, Eureka. Music by the Scotia Band. Catered by Stephanie's Home Cooking with local beer and wine. Please note, non-service dogs are not allowed at HBG special events. regular garden admission, free for members. hbgef.org.

THEATER

EXIT Theatre's Short Play Festival. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. See June 27 listing.

The Poor Of New York. 8-10 p.m. Dell'Arte Amphitheatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 28 listing.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

Ferndale Pride March. 12-5 p.m. Ferndale Firemen's Park, 100 Berding St. The 4th annual Ferndale Pride March hosted by Lost Coast Pride.

FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

OUTDOORS

Horse/Grouse Mountain Birding Trip. 7 a.m.-1 p.m. Horse Mountain Botanical Area, Titlow Hill Road. A shorter outing focusing on the denser, cooler forests around Cold Spring and Clear Lake. Meet Ken Burton at Pepper's Arcata at 7 a.m. or at the base of Titlow Hill Road at 7:45 a.m. for this half-day trip; please be prepared to carpool. Free. shriketree@gmail.com.

1 Monday

ART

Life Drawing Sessions. 6-8 p.m. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See June 28 listing.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

FOOD

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Market, 6685 Avenue of the Giants. Fresh produce, mushrooms, beef and pork, eggs, honey, crafts, body products, jams and plants. (707) 441-9999.

MEETINGS

Entrepreneur's Club of Arcata. First Monday of every month, 4-5 p.m. Arcata Chamber of Commerce, 1635 Heindon Road. Share your ideas. Learn business skills. Network. Open to all. Free. arcatachamber.com. (925) 214-8099.

ETC

Homesharing Info Session. 9:30-10 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m. This informational Zoom session will go over the steps and safeguards of Area 1 Agency on Aging's

matching process and the different types of home-share partnerships. Email for the link. Free. home-share@alaa.org. alaa.org/homesharing. (707) 442-3763.

2 Tuesday

MUSIC

First Tuesday of the Month Sing-Along. First Tuesday of every month, 7-9 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Join Joel Sonenshein as he leads a sing-along of your favorite folk, rock and pop songs of the '60s and '70s. Songbooks provided. \$3. (707) 407-6496.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

FOR KIDS

Look Closer and Make Connections. First Tuesday of every month, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Natural History Museum of Cal Poly Humboldt, 1242 G St., Arcata. Explore new exhibits and activities, including marine science, a bear, discovery boxes, microscopes, puzzles, scavenger hunts and more. Tuesday through Friday. \$3 youth, \$6 adult, \$15 family, free for members. natmus@humboldt.edu. humboldt.edu/natmus. (707) 826-4480.

FOOD

Fortuna Certified Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. 10th and Main streets, 10th and Main streets, Fortuna. Fruits and vegetables, crafts, music and hot food vendors. No pets allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals welcome. CalFresh EBT customers receive a market match at every farmers market. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/fortuna.html. (707) 441-9999.

Old Town Certified Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Old Town Gazebo, Second and F streets, Eureka. Fruits and vegetables, bread, donuts, jam, crafts and live music. No pets, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. CalFresh EBT customers are able to receive a market match at every farmers market. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/oldtown.html. (707) 441-9999.

Shelter Cove Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Gyppo Ale Mill, 1661 Upper Pacific Drive, Shelter Cove. In-season produce, veggie starts, plants, grass-fed beef, pastured poultry and eggs, flowers, soap, herbal products and arts and crafts. gyppo.com. (707) 441-9999.

MEETINGS

Fortuna Parent Project. 6 a.m.-8 p.m. Gene Lucas Community Center, 3300 Newburg Ave., Fortuna. A 10-week series that addresses topics like improving family relationships, effective discipline to improve school attendance and performance, reduce substance use, negative peer influences and how to address destructive behavior. Free. fortunatc@bgcredwoods.org. glccenter.org. (707) 617-8160.

Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament. 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. (707) 599-4605.

Monthly Meeting VFW Post 1872. First Tuesday of

every month, 6-7 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Calling all combat veterans and all veterans eligible for membership in Veterans of Foreign Wars to meet comrades and learn about events in the renovated Memorial Building. Free. PearceHansen999@outlook.com. (707) 443-5331.

ETC

English Express: An English Language Class for Adults. Virtual World, Internet, Online. Build English language confidence in ongoing online and in-person classes. All levels and first languages welcome. Join anytime. Pre-registration not required. Free. english-expressempowered.com. (707) 443-5021.

3 Wednesday

ART

Art Club. First Wednesday of every month, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Redwood Retro, 211 G St., Eureka. Come for the conversation and bring your own project or get materials and instruction for an additional fee. Sign-up and this month's project online. \$22. stainedghost.com.

LECTURE

Insects, Amphibians and Reptiles of the Arcata Marsh. 7-8:30 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Learn about the smaller wildlife of the Arcata Marsh from Pete Haggard, co-author of the field guide, *Insects of the Pacific Northwest*. Simulcast via Zoom at the following link: <https://humboldtstate.zoom.us/j/87258590036?pwd=Wc6YGRlXUGHjpt5KLAD-WavGMSTopEa>. Free. info@arcatamarshfriends.org. arcatamarshfriends.org. (707) 826-2359.

MOVIES

Sci-Fi Night: Independence Day (1996). 6-9 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show 6 p.m. Raffle at 6:20 p.m. Main feature 6:35 p.m. All ages. The aliens are coming and their goal is to invade and destroy Earth. \$6, \$10 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/666565745634358. (707) 613-3030.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Fortuna Fireworks Festival. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. Arts and craft vendors, music, light show, barbecue. Fireworks at dusk. Parking in McLean Field (\$5 donation).

MEETINGS

350 Humboldt. First Wednesday of every month, 6-7 p.m. Local grassroots climate action group monthly meeting to take action to address climate change. dwchandl@gmail.com. us02web.zoom.us/j/82415260158?pwd=SHY0dENuZ3o5MXFSRExLd-3kxeE9iQT09.

Mother's Support Circle. First Wednesday of every month, 10 a.m.-noon. The Ink People Center for the Arts, 627 Third St., Eureka. Mother's Village circle for mothers with a meal and childcare. \$15 to attend, \$10 childcare, sliding scale spots available. (707) 633-3143.

4 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing at Synapsis. 7-9 p.m. Synapsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See June 27 listing.

MUSIC

Eureka Summer Concert Series. 6-8 p.m. Madaket Plaza, Foot of C Street, Eureka. See June 27 listing.

EVENTS

Baduwa't Festival. Dell'Arte, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See June 27 listing.

FOOD

Henderson Center Certified Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. See June 27 listing.

Willow Creek Certified Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Veteran's Park, Gower Lane, Willow Creek. See June 27 listing.

GARDEN

Community Compost Drop-Off. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Freshwater Farms Reserve, 5851 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See June 27 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Fourth of July Jubilee. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Music, food, drinks, kids activities, a dunk tank, aerialists and more. Music line up: Northern High Bush, Jenni & David and the Sweet Soul Band, Arcata West African Drum & Dance, Horse Mountain. Free.

Ferndale Fourth of July Parade. 12-1 p.m. Ferndale Main Street, Ferndale. A parade on Main Street with fire trucks, patriotic floats.

Fourth of July Festival. Historic Old Town Eureka, Second Street. Two music stages, multiple city blocks of food and craft vendors and much more. Fireworks over the bay at 10 p.m. Free. eurekaainstreet.org.

OUTDOORS

Nature Quest. 3-6 p.m. Headwaters Forest Reserve, End of Elk River Road, 6 miles off U.S. Highway 101, Eureka. See June 27 listing.

Heads Up ...

Humboldt Women's International League for Peace and Freedom is looking for current paperback books for its annual July 4 sale. Call (707) 822-5711 to arrange for pick-up or drop-off.

The Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center seeks week-end volunteers to stay open. Shifts are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 1 to 5 p.m., Saturdays and Sundays, and include welcoming visitors, bookstore register, and answering questions. You must be at least 18, complete paperwork and fingerprinting (free through Arcata Police). One-on-one training. Call (707) 826-2359 or e-mail amic@cityofarcata.org.

Become a volunteer at Hospice of Humboldt. For more information about becoming a volunteer or about services provided by Hospice of Humboldt, call (707) 267-9813 or visit hospiceofhumboldt.org.

Cal Poly Humboldt. 2024-2025 Season



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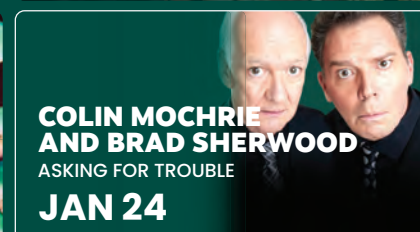
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do, making time to celebrate unapologetically, to enjoy ourselves, knowing we've survived a history birthed from pain and the myriad of issues we face, and that we still look to be inclusive and strive for cohesion.

Though I better understand the cultural moment Juneteenth represents, I can't and won't compare Black Humboldt's multiday festival to my experiences in the South

any more than I would compare kinds of Blackness. These things aren't a monolith, nor should they be.

But for once, I didn't feel like an outsider. I felt seen, not as the reporter looking from the outside who was trying to get the story, but as someone who is part of the Black community. What this past Juneteenth festival taught me is that even in a place where we're on the outside, Black folks will always find a way to express themselves.

That's what I love about Juneteenth, that we'll always find a way to spread Black joy, whether behind the Redwood Curtain, in the deep South or wherever we reside.



During a "Justice for Josiah Spotlight," Charmaine Lawson gave a moving tribute challenging the justice system and the community to find her son Josiah's killer.

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Jamari Amour, founder of the House of Marc Jacobs, performed in the Pride Tribute.

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Dionna Ndlovu, Black Humboldt's co-founder, led a moving "Say Their Names" ceremony. Photo by Mark Larson



Local drag artist Garlic Bread introduced the Pride Tribute. Photo by Mark Larson

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ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

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1. Makes noise, like a microwave
6. 2008 Liam Neeson thriller
11. Some lab fixtures
14. “___ last I see the light” (“Tangled” lyric)
15. Nearsighted horned beast
16. Official language in Vientiane
17. Guest list for a private party?
19. The whole thing
20. “Iliad” warrior god
21. Pen tips
22. Studio 54, for one
24. Cheers
26. ‘50s experiment, briefly
28. Author of “The Namesake” and “Whereabouts”

32. Wild diving duck
34. Key near Fl
35. Status ___
36. Some chess pieces
37. Salty expanse
38. Denim jacket
 ornaments for punks, once
40. Friend in France
41. “Ew”
42. Filled with ennui
43. Indescribable thing
47. Cut back, as a branch
48. Says
51. One of many Peyo characters
53. No, to Nabokov
55. Spinnaker or jib
57. Hot goo
58. Australian actor in “Saltburn”
61. Mid-show filler
62. “I’m only ___ mortal ...”

63. “The Floor” head-to-heads
64. Comb creator
65. Lance Bass’s group
66. Throat infection type

DOWN

1. ___ California
2. Make accustomed (to)
3. ‘50s Ford fiasco
4. Notable retiree of June 2024
5. Place to swine and dine?
6. Axiom
7. Moby-Dick’s chaser
8. Congolese capital
9. Conclude
10. “Beats me”
11. Brick that goes boom
12. AP math subject
13. Perform without

- backup
18. Outperform
23. “... or something like that”
25. As follows
27. “No Scrubs” group
29. Cheats at cards, maybe
30. “Ant-Man” star Paul
31. Platform that runs on Apple devices
32. Not much
33. Place to take a penny, leave a penny?
36. “The Big Bang Theory” character
37. Sorta academic-sounding, in a way
38. Fireplace buildup
39. Auditions
41. Suffix with Dickens
42. Montana mining city

44. Blow it
45. Stevens who inspired the musical “Illinoise”
46. Province where poutine supposedly originated
49. Not so common
50. Move sneakily
51. Attempt
52. Manufactured
54. “Strange Condition” singer Pete
56. Second-oldest programming language that’s still in use (behind Fortran)
59. Breakfast hrs.
60. Brigham Young’s gp.

LEGAL NOTICES

T.S. No.: 22-00007
Order #: FHBT-FTO2200249 Loan No.: 20030697 Property Address: 13026, 12954, 12946, 12972 aka 12942, and 12990 Ave of the Giants, Myers Flat, CA 95554 APNs: 081-021-042; 081-021-038; 081-021-041; 081-021-035; 081-021-045; 081-021-039; 081-021-046; 081-021-025; 081-021-033 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 7/24/2000. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. TrustDeed Servicing, LLC, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/6/2000 as Instrument No. 2000-21274-11 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California. Executed By: William E Meagher, Trustee of the Joan and William Trust dated May 23, 1997 WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER’S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by California Civil Code 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 7/12/2024 at 11:00 AM Place of Sale: At the front entrance to the County Courthouse at 825 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501 All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as follows: See Exhibit "A" attached hereto EXHIBIT "A" THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA IN COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: TRACT A That portion of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the Westerly right of way line of the state highway at a point located 954.48 feet South and 7.18 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30; thence South 32 degrees 44 minutes West, 150 feet; thence North 57 degrees 16 minutes West, 100 feet to the Easterly line of a 20 foot right of way; thence along said line North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 186.84 feet to the Westerly line of said state highway; thence along said Westerly line Southeasterly along a curve with a radius of 1030 feet for an arc distance of 106.8 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-042 TRACT B PARCEL ONE That portion of Sections 29 and 30 in Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point marked by a 6 x 6 inch concrete monument on the Westerly right of way line of the state highway and located 1049.58 feet South and 83.63 feet East of the Northeast corner of aforesaid Section 30; thence from

said point of beginning along said right of way line South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 96.30 feet; thence South 33 degrees 34 minutes West, 509.38 feet; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 381.58 feet; thence South 38 degrees 55 minutes West, 462.23 feet; thence North 51 degrees 05 minutes West, 554.57 feet to the Easterly line of a 20 foot right of way; thence along said line North 4 degrees 50 minutes East, 29.40 feet; North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 91.22 feet to the Southwest corner of the Myers School 1-acre parcel; thence along the South line of said parcel South 68 degrees East, 170.16 feet; thence along the East line of said parcel North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 256 feet; thence along the North line of said parcel North 68 degrees West, 20.16 feet; thence North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 75.50 feet; thence North 58 degrees 43 minutes West, 151.99 feet to the Easterly line of aforesaid 20-foot right of way; thence along said right of way North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 0.44 feet and North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 339.79 feet; thence South 57 degrees 16 minutes East, 100 feet; thence North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 150 feet to a point on the aforesaid right of way line of the state highway located North 43 degrees 42-1/2 minutes West, 131.42 feet from the point of beginning; thence following said right of way line Southeasterly along a curve with a radius of 1030 feet for an arc distance of 131.5 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-038 and 081-021-041 PARCEL TWO The right to use and maintain the present road right of way 20 feet wide lying 10 feet on each side of the following described centerline; BEGINNING at a point located North 40 degrees 26 minutes West, 248.52 feet from the above point of beginning; thence South 32 degrees 44 minutes West, 531 feet and South 22 degrees 12 minutes West, 451.04 feet and South 4 degrees 50 minutes West, 20 feet. PARCEL THREE The right of way 10 feet wide connecting the above right of way with the East Bank of the South Fork of Eel River and lying 5 feet on each side of the following described centerline; BEGINNING at a point located 1 305.56 feet South and 369.65 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30; thence South 33-1/2 degrees West, 223 feet, more or less, and North 56 -1/2 degrees West, 125 feet, more or less, to the said bank of said river, said centerline being 5 feet from and parallel with the Easterly and Southerly boundaries of a parcel of land formerly owned by Herbert J. and Leila M. Jones. EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion thereof conveyed by Perry R. Hume and wife, and Sarah M. Corning, to Paul H. Zielke and Ethel A. Zielke, his wife, by Deed dated May 26, 1947, and recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of said county on July 10, 1947. PARCEL FOUR That portion of Section 30,

Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: COMMENCING on the East line of the 20-foot roadway deeded to W.C. Dorsey by Deed dated January 4, 1940 at a point located 1406.46 feet South and 391.87 feet West of the Northeast corner of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; thence South 22 degrees 12 minutes West along the East line of said roadway, 256 feet; thence at right angles Easterly, 170.16 feet; thence at right angles Northerly parallel with said roadway, 256 feet; thence at right angles Westerly, 170.16 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-035 PARCEL FIVE A right of way for roadway and the right to construct, fence and maintain the same over and along the strip of land deeded for right of way purposes to W.C. Dorsey by Deed dated January 4, 1940. Said right of way not to be exclusive, but to be shared in common with other parties. PARCEL SIX That portion of the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point which is 1312.95 feet South and 356.32 feet from the Northeast corner of said section; thence South 22 degrees 12 minutes West, 100 feet; thence South 68 degrees East, 150 feet; thence North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 75.5 feet; thence North 58 degrees 43 minutes West, 151.99 feet to the point of beginning. APN: remainder of 081-021-035 PARCEL SEVEN That portion of the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, and of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the Southerly right of way line of the state highway located 1114.80 feet South and 154.48 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29, said point being also located South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 96.30 feet form a concrete monument on said right of way line; thence along said right of way line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 70 feet; thence South 35 degrees 22-1/2 minutes West, 194.45 feet; thence South 56 degrees 26 minutes East, 123.23 feet to the East line of land conveyed to H. Rawson Knight and wife, by Deed recorded November 19, 1947, in Book 22, Page 209 of Official Records, in the Office of the County Recorder of said county; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 302.69 feet to the most Southerly corner of said land; thence North 57 degrees 21 minutes West, 158.70 feet; thence North 33 degrees 34 minutes East, 509.38 feet to the point of beginning. EXCEPTING THEREFROM the land described in the Deed of Partial Reconveyance recorded February 6, 2023, as Instrument No. 2023-001646, Humboldt County Records. APN: 081-021-045 PARCEL EIGHT A

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parcel in Section 30 of Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1914.80 feet South and 541.12 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30 (said corner being a one-inch iron pipe monument with brass cap; thence South 63 degrees 06 minutes East, 224.60 feet; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 84.93 feet; thence North 51 degrees 05 minutes West, 308.78 feet to the Easterly line of a roadway; thence along said line South 04 degrees 50 minutes West, 159 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-039 PARCEL NINE That portion of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1705.64 feet South and 225.99 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 102.50 feet; thence North 50 degrees 09 minutes 30 seconds West, 81.36 feet, more or less, to the Southeasterly line of the land conveyed to John E. Scott and wife, by Deed recorded June 6, 1949, under Recorder's Serial No. 5087, in the office of said Recorder; thence South 41 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds West along said Southeasterly line, 115.10 feet to a point which bears North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West from the point of beginning; thence South 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds East, 85.48 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046 PARCEL TEN A parcel in Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1482.92 feet South and 120.50 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 135.20 feet; thence South 50 degrees 19-1/2 minutes East, 137.23 feet; thence North 41 degrees 00-1/2 minutes West, 117.30 feet; thence North 50 degrees 48-1/2 minutes West, 140.73 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046 PARCEL ELEVEN That portion of Section 29 of Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1713.98 feet South and 219.27 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence South 38 degrees 55 minutes West, 40 feet; thence North 57 degrees 21 minutes West, 222.00 feet; thence North 38 degrees 47 minutes East, 40 feet; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 222.88 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046 TRACT C That parcel in Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1705.64 feet South and 225.99 feet East of the Northwest corner of Section 29; thence North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West, 85.48 feet, more or less, to the most Southerly corner of the

parcel of land firstly described in the Deed to John E. Scott and wife, recorded June 6, 1949, under Recorder's File No. 5087, Humboldt County Records; thence North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West, 137.23 feet to the most Westerly corner of said Scott parcel; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 6.90 feet, to the most Northerly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Morrison & Jackson Lumber Company, a corporation, by Deed recorded April 15, 1949, under Recorder's File No. 3393, Humboldt County Records; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 222.88 feet to a point located 1713.98 feet South and 218.27 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 8.34 feet to the point of beginning. APN: remainder of 081-021-046 TRACT D BEGINNING at a point on the Southerly right of way line of the state highway located 1162.22 feet South and 205.98 feet East of the Northwest corner of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; said point being also located South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 166.30 feet from a concrete monument on said right of way line; and running thence from said point of beginning along said right of way line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 134.55 feet; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 173.91 feet; thence North 56 degrees 26 minutes West, 123.23 feet; and thence North 35 degrees 22-1/2 minutes East, 194.45 feet to the true point of beginning. APN: 081-021-025 TRACT E BEGINNING at a point located 1,306.62 feet South and 362.80 feet East from the Northwest corner of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; thence South 47 degrees East, 10 feet to the most Northerly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Arthur J. Kelly and wife by deed recorded September 4, 1969 in Book 1015 of Official Records at page 107, under Recorder's File No. 12797, Humboldt County Records; thence along the Northwesterly line of said Kelly parcel, South 41 degrees 05 minutes West, 110.25 feet to the most Westerly corner thereof; thence along the Southwesterly line of said Kelly parcel, South 51 degrees 12 minutes East, 63.68 feet to the most Southerly corner thereof; thence South 41 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds West to the most Easterly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Lucille C. Webb, by deed recorded July 17, 1968 in Book 968 of Official Records at page 118 under Recorder's File No. 10395, Humboldt County Records; thence along the Northeasterly line of said Webb parcel, North 50 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds West to the most Northerly corner thereof; thence North 38 degrees 47 minutes East, 164.50 feet to the right of way line of the Old State Highway; thence along said line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East,

78.65 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-033 Street Address or other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 13026, 12954, 12946, 12972 aka 12942, and 12990 Ave of the Giants, Myers Flat, CA 95554 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$110,552.93. The beneficiary under

said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be respon-

sible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this

property, you may call (916) 939-0772 or visit this internet website www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case 22-00007. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (916) 939-0772, or visit this internet website

INVITATION TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids are invited by the Department of Public Works of Humboldt County, a public body, corporate and politic, for the performance of all the work and the furnishing of all the labor, materials, supplies, tools, and equipment for the following project:

DEMOLITION OF:
3007 & 3015 I STREET
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
PROJECT NUMBER: 170256

Pursuant to the Contract Documents on file with the Department of Public Works of Humboldt County.

A pre-bid meeting is scheduled for 9:00 a.m. Pacific Time, **Wednesday June 26th, 2024** at 3007 & 3015 I Street, Eureka. Contract Documents, Plans and Specifications will be available on **Friday June 14th, 2024**.

Each Bid must be contained in a sealed envelope addressed as set forth in said Bid Documents, and delivered to the Humboldt County Public Works Building, 1106 2nd Street, Eureka, California at or before 2:00 P.M., Pacific Daylight Time, on **Tuesday July 9th, 2024**. Bids will be opened outside the building in the adjacent parking lot to the rear of the building. Bid packages may be delivered via the following methods:

1. Mail or use a delivery service to send bid package to Public Works at 1106 2nd Street, Eureka, CA.
2. Deposit bid package into mail slot in the front door of Public Works, 1106 2nd Street, Eureka, CA.
3. Hand deliver bid package to Facilities Staff between 1:45pm and 2:00pm outside the building in the adjacent parking lot to the rear of the building at 1106 2nd Street, Eureka, CA.

All Bids will be publicly opened and summary amounts read aloud. The officer whose duty it is to open the Bids will decide when the specified time for the opening of Bids has arrived.

Plans and Specifications and other Contract Document forms will be available for examination upon prior arrangement at the Department of Public Works, 1106 Second Street, Eureka, CA, 95501, Phone: (707) 445-7493. Plans will also be available at the Humboldt County Bid Opportunities website: <https://humboldt.gov/bids.aspx> and for viewing at area plan centers. Complete sets may be obtained via prior arrangement from Humboldt County Public Works. Complete sets may be obtained upon advanced payment of \$50.00 each, 100% of which shall be refunded upon the return of such sets unmarked and in good condition within ten (10) days after the bids are opened. Checks should be made payable to County of Humboldt.

Each Bid shall be submitted on the forms furnished by the County within the Bid Documents. All forms must be completed.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by one of the following forms of Bidder's Security to with a certified check or a cashier's check payable to the County, U.S. Government Bonds, or a Bid Bond executed by an admitted insurer authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California (in the form set forth in said Contract Documents). The Bidder's security shall be in the amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the Bid.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish and pay for a satisfactory faithful performance bond and a satisfactory payment bond in the forms set

forth in said Bid Documents.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or to waive any informalities in any Bid. No Bid shall be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) calendar days subsequent to the opening of Bids without the consent of the County.

All Bidders will be required to certify that they are eligible to submit a Bid on this project and that they are not listed either (1) on the Controller General's List of Ineligible Bidders/Contractors, or (2) on the debarred list of the Labor Commissioner of the State of California.

The successful Bidder shall possess a valid Contractor's license in good standing, with a classification of "B" (General Building Contractor) at the time the contract is awarded.

The successful Bidder will be required to comply with all equal employment opportunity laws and regulations both at the time of award and throughout the duration of the Project.

This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. Pursuant to Section 1771.1(a) of the California Labor Code, a contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in Sections 1770 et seq. of the Labor Code, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 of the Labor Code. It is not a violation of Section 1771.1(a) for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded.

The Contractor, and each subcontractor participating in the Project, shall be required to pay the prevailing wages as established by the Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Labor Statistics and Research, P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA, Phone: (415) 703-4780.

The attention of Bidders is directed to the fact that the work proposed herein to be done will be financed in whole or in part with State and County funds, and therefore all of the applicable State and County statutes, rulings and regulations will apply to such work.

In the performance of this contract, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment in accordance with the provisions of the California Fair Employment and Housing Act. (Government Code section 12900et seq.)

In accordance with the provisions of Section 22300 of the Public contractors' code, the Contractor may elect to receive 100% of payments due under the contract from time to time, without retention of any portion of the payment, by entering into an Escrow Agreement for Security Deposits In Lieu of Retention.

By:
Tracy Damico
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
County of Humboldt, State of California

www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case 22-00007 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: 6/11/2024 TrustDeed Servicing, LLC 1968 S. Coast Hwy, Num 1250 Laguna Beach, California 92651 (916) 251-9196 Shannon Winford, Trustee Sale Officer TRUSTDEED SERVICING, LLC IS ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

NPP0461840 To: NORTH COAST JOURNAL
06/20/2024, 06/27/2024, 07/04/2024 24-224

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF LEILANI LYNNE BUBIER CASE NO. PR2400146
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of LEILANI LYNNE BUBIER A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner TABB WILLIAM BUBIER The petition for probate requests that TABB W. BUBIER be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on July 11, 2024 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Room: 4
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Petitioner: Tabb W. Bubier 18692 Seclusion Way Santa Ana, CA 92705 (949) 230-6056 Filed: June 4, 2024 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-213)

PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL FORFEITURE
On April 4, 2024, Agents from the Humboldt County Drug Task Force seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11351 of the Health and Safety Code of California from Sydni Ct in Eureka, California. The seized property is described as: \$133.72 in US currency and Control Number 24-F-05 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

If your claim is not timely filed, the Humboldt County District Attorney will declare the property described in this notice to be forfeited to the State and it will be disposed of as provided in Health and Safety Code Section 11489.

6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-229)

PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL FORFEITURE
On April 16, 2024, Agents from the Humboldt County Drug Task Force seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section

11351 of the Health and Safety Code of California from L Street in Eureka, California. The seized property is described as: \$21,576.00 in US currency and various jewelry items. Control Number 24-F-06 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-230)

PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL FORFEITURE
On April 22, 2024, Agents from the Humboldt County Drug Task Force seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11351 of the Health and Safety Code of California from L Street in Eureka, California. The seized property is described as: \$5,256.00 in US currency and Control Number 24-F-07 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-231)

PUBLIC SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code.
The undersigned will sell at auction by competitive bidding on the 17th of July, 2024, at 9:00 AM, on the premises where said property has been stored and which are located at Rainbow Self Storage.

The following spaces are located at 4055 Broadway Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt.
Kyli Howard, Space #5043
Margaret Holverson, Space #5067
Royce Kirk, Space #5117
Maya Young, Space #5240
Peter Heller, Space #5307 (Held in Co. Unit)
Harriet Crawley, Space #5323
Andrew Hollis, Space #5325
Robert Valentine, Space #5441

The following spaces are located at 639 W. Clark Street Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Jacob Krajnik, Space #2116
Crystalrose Gambrell, Space #2607
Emmanuel Landry, Space #2812
Dixie Rogers, Space #3114

The following spaces are located at 3618 Jacobs Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Job Patereau, Space #1120
Briana Stolberg, Space #1121
Heidi Darms, Space #1164
Erick Carrera, Space #1226
Shawn Pacheco, Space #1383
Aidan Schultz, Space #1626
Regina Hamilton, Space #1723
Juanita Scott, Space #1774
Gonzalo Madrigal, Space #1777

The following spaces are located at 105 Indianola Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Joseph Mazzotti, Space #110
Rachelle Sexton, Space #132
Evelyn Gensaw, Space #209
Dan Conant, Space #289
Luis Martinez, Space #338
Marco Ramirez, Space #384
Joy De Jonge, Space #457
Jarrod Lear, Space #701
Rachel Rosencrants, Space #824
Julie Santibanez, Space #838

The following spaces are located at 100 Indianola Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

None

The following spaces are located at 1641 Holly Drive McKinleyville, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Jessica Fox, Space #2227
Amy Bonner, Space #3119
Trudy Adams, Space #3209
Mikkel Burrowes, Space #7227
Michael Potts, Space #8130
Roger Jones, Space #8207

The following spaces are located at 2394 Central Avenue McKinleyville CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Eric Lamb, Space #9297
Kyle Johnson, Space #9402
Christopher Reed, Space #9404
David Campbell, Space #9501
Christopher Harly, Space #9554
Shawna Sorenson, Space #9559

The following spaces are located at 180 F Street Arcata CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Andrew Kinter, Space #4414
Makaia Birimisa, Space #4428
Cory Moloney, Space #4603
Dusty Rucker, Space #4607
Jesse Williams, Space #6143
Daniel Ashe, Space #6162

The following spaces are located at 940 G Street Arcata CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Abigail Serna, Space #6427
Items to be sold include, but are not limited to:



Household furniture, office equipment, household appliances, exercise equipment, TVs, VCR, microwave, bikes, books, misc. tools, misc. camping equipment, misc. stereo equip. misc. yard tools, misc. sports equipment, misc. kids toys, misc. fishing gear, misc. computer components, and misc. boxes and bags contents unknown.

Anyone interested in attending Rainbow Self Storage auctions must pre-qualify. For details call 707-443-1451. Purchases must be paid for at the time of the sale in cash only. All pre-qualified Bidders must sign in at 4055 Broadway Eureka CA. prior to 9:00 A.M. on the day of the auction, no exceptions. All purchased items are sold as is, where is and must be removed at time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation for any reason whatsoever. Auctioneer: Nicole Pettit, Employee for Rainbow Self-Storage, 707-443-1451, Bond # 40083246.



Dated this 4th day of July, 2024 and 11th day of July, 2024

6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-227)



PUBLIC NOTICE
HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Housing Authority of the County of Humboldt has developed it's Agency Plan in compliance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998. A copy of the Agency Plan is available for review at www.eurekahumboldtha.org or by request. A public hearing for the purpose of receiving comments will be held on July 16, 2024 at 11:00am via Zoom. The Housing Authority will receive comments starting May 30, 2024, to the close of business, July 15, 2024. To request the Agency Plan and obtain zoom meeting information, please call (707) 443-4583 ext 219. Housing Authority hours of operation are 9:00am – 4:30pm, Monday – Friday, alternating every other Friday an off day.



PUBLIC NOTICE
HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF EUREKA
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Housing Authority of the City of Eureka has developed it's Agency Plan in compliance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998. A copy of the Agency Plan is available for review at www.eurekahumboldtha.org or by request. A public hearing for the purpose of receiving comments will be held on July 16, 2024 at 10:00am via Zoom. The Housing Authority will receive comments starting May 30, 2024 to the close of business, July 15, 2024. To request the Agency Plan and obtain zoom meeting information, please call (707) 443-4583 ext 219. The Housing Authority hours of operation are 9:00am – 4:30pm, Monday – Friday, alternating every other Friday an off day.



PUBLIC NOTICE
THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF EUREKA
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Housing Authority has completed a draft update of the EFH Tenant Selection Plan. A copy of the draft update is available for review at the Housing Authority website www.eurekahumboldtha.org or by request. The Housing Authority will receive comments regarding the TSP draft update June 6, 2024 through the close of business on July 5, 2024. To request the draft update please call (707) 443-4583 ext 219. The Housing Authority hours of operation are 9:00am – 4:30pm, Monday through Friday, alternating every other Friday an off day.



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors has scheduled a public hearing to discuss an increase in rates charged by franchise solid waste collectors in the unincorporated areas of the county.

The hearing will take place on Tuesday, July 9th, at 11:00 AM (or as soon thereafter as possible) in the Board of Supervisors Chamber located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501.

All interested parties are welcome to attend and provide their input. For additional information, you can contact the Humboldt County Department of Public Works at 1106 2nd Street, Eureka, CA, or call them at (707) 445-74911.

Nicole Turner
Clerk of the Board

CITY OF FORTUNA
NOTICE INVITING BIDS

1. Bid Submission. City of Fortuna ("City") will accept sealed bids for its Monday Club Chimney Repair Project ("Project"), by or before July 9th, 2024, at 4 pm., at Fortuna City Hall, located at 621 11th St, California, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

2. Project Information.

2.1 Location and Description. The Project is located at 610 Main Street in Fortuna. The scope of the project includes the following:

- Complete demolition of the existing remaining brick masonry chimney. Demolition to extend down to the foundation, and the existing concrete foundation is to remain in place.
- Demolition of interior brick masonry hearth, wooden mantle, floor tile, and plaster as shown in construction plans.
- Construction of a framed wooden chase and floor per the project construction plans.
- Installation of thin brick masonry façade per the construction plans.
- Removal and replacement of the existing gas fireplace insert, including gas supply piping.
- New installation of chimney pipe, storm collar, chimney cap and fabricated steel chimney cap.
- Installation of new interior thin brick hearth, wooden mantle, floor tile, and drywall.
- Remove and reset existing interior mirror.
- Add new electrical outlet inside hearth for existing gas fireplace insert.

The project does not include any lighting, painting, or window shade improvements which are also shown in the plans.

2.2 Time for Final Completion. The Project must be fully completed within 28 calendar days from the start date set forth in the Notice to Proceed. City desires that the Work will begin on or about as soon as possible after contract award, which is anticipated in early August, but the anticipated start date is provided solely for convenience and is neither certain nor binding. Project must be completed before November 22, 2024.

3. License and Registration Requirements.

3.1 License. This Project requires a valid California contractor's license for the following classification(s): Class B

3.2 DIR Registration. City may not accept a Bid Proposal from or enter into the Contract with a bidder, without proof that the bidder is registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR") to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5, subject to limited legal exceptions.

4. Contract Documents. The plans, specifications, bid forms and contract documents for the Project, and any addenda thereto ("Contract Documents") may be downloaded from City's website located at: https://www.friendlyfortuna.com/your_government/public_works_notices.php. A printed copy of the Contract Documents is not available.

5. Bid Security. The Bid Proposal must be accompanied by bid security of ten percent of the maximum bid amount, in the form of a cashier's or certified check made payable to City, or a bid bond executed by a surety

licensed to do business in the State of California on the Bid Bond form included with the Contract Documents. The bid security must guarantee that within ten days after City issues the Notice of Potential Award, the successful bidder will execute the Contract and submit the payment and performance bonds, insurance certificates and endorsements, valid Certificates of Reported Compliance as required under the California Air Resources Board's In-Use Off-Road Diesel-Fueled Fleets Regulation (13 CCR § 2449 et seq.) ("Off-Road Regulation"), if applicable, and any other submittals required by the Contract Documents and as specified in the Notice of Potential Award.

6. Prevailing Wage Requirements.

6.1 General. Pursuant to California Labor Code § 1720 et seq., this Project is subject to the prevailing wage requirements applicable to the locality in which the Work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to perform the Work, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, apprenticeship and similar purposes.

6.2 Rates. The prevailing rates are on file with the City and are available online at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR>. Each Contractor and Subcontractor must pay no less than the specified rates to all workers employed to work on the Project. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work must be at least time and one-half.

6.3 Compliance. The Contract will be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR, under Labor Code § 1771.4.

7. Performance and Payment Bonds. The successful bidder will be required to provide performance and payment bonds, each for 100% of the Contract Price, as further specified in the Contract Documents.

8. Substitution of Securities. Substitution of appropriate securities in lieu of retention amounts from progress payments is permitted under Public Contract Code § 22300.

9. Subcontractor List. Each Subcontractor must be registered with the DIR to perform work on public projects. Each bidder must submit a completed Subcontractor List form with its Bid Proposal, including the name, location of the place of business, California contractor license number, DIR registration number, and percentage of the Work to be performed (based on the base bid price) for each Subcontractor that will perform Work or service or fabricate or install Work for the prime contractor in excess of one-half of 1% of the bid price, using the Subcontractor List form included with the Contract Documents.

10. Instructions to Bidders. All bidders should carefully review the Instructions to Bidders for more detailed information before submitting a Bid Proposal. The definitions provided in Article 1 of the General Conditions apply to all of the Contract Documents, as defined therein, including this Notice Inviting Bids.

END OF NOTICE INVITING BIDS

B34 Ronda Lovergine
C5 Steven Parker

Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of a settlement between owner and obligated party. Please refer to www.StorageAuctions.com for all other terms and conditions governing the bidding and auction process.

Dated this 19th day of June, 2024
6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-226)

LEGALS?
442-1400 x314

Public Sale

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to sections 21700 -21716 of the Business and Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the Civil Code.

The undersigned will be sold at public auction by competitive bidding on the 5th day of July, 2024, at 11:00 AM on the premises where said property has been stored and which are located at INDIANOLA STORAGE, 673 Indianola Cutoff, Eureka, County of Humboldt, State of California. The following units will be sold:

Darren Young-Unit #91-Misc Household Items
Tommy Gene Smith-Unit #150-Misc Household Items
Kyle Payton & Brittany Jones-Unit #163-Misc Household Items

Purchase must be paid for (cash only) and removed at the time of the sale, with the unit left broom clean. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. Owner reserves the right to bid. Call 707-442-7613

6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-234)

SUMMONS
(CITATION JUDICIAL)
ENFORCEMENT OF STATE
HOUSING LAW
(CUMPLIMIENTO DE LA LEY DE
VIVIENDA ESTATAL)
CASE NUMBER: CV2400676
NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:
(AVISO AL DEMANDADO):

TANYA M. MARSEILLE, TONY
GHERA, AND DOES 1 TO 25

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAIN-
TIF:
(LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL
DEMANDANTE):

CITY OF EUREKA, A CALIFORNIA
MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

You have 10 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/self-help), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

Tiene 10 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 o más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is:
(El nombre y dirección de la corte es):
Humboldt County Superior Court
825 Fifth Street
Eureka, CA 95501
The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:
(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
Autumn E. Luna, City Attorney
City of Eureka
531 K Street
Eureka, CA 95501
(707) 441-4147
Date: April 9, 2024
Clerk (Secretario), Meara Hattan
by, Daisy S., Deputy (Adjunto)

6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-217)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 24-00239

The following person is doing Business as
OVER THE RIDGE MOBILE BAR CO.

Humboldt
29371 Alderpoint Rd
Blocksburg, CA 95514

600 F St, Ste 3, PMB 520
Arcata, CA 95521

Ena M Nunez
29371 Alderpoint Rd
Blocksburg, CA 95514

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Ena Nunez, Owner
This April 30, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-200)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 24-00240

The following person is doing Business as
HUMBOLDT GROWN

Humboldt
29371 Alderpoint Rd
Blocksburg, CA 95514

600 F St Ste 3 PMB 520
Arcata, CA 95521

Mountain Creek Farms LLC
CA 201719510229
32 Coronado Ave
San Carlos, CA 94070

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Collin Kingery, CEO
This April 30, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-201)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00241

The following person is doing Business as
GRACE REAL ESTATE

Humboldt
3466 Dows Prairie Rd
McKinleyville, CA 95519

Piscea
CA 6137241
3466 Dows Prairie Rd
McKinleyville, CA 95519

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 24, 2024
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Sarah Coleman, President
This May 30, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-212)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00264

The following person is doing Business as
DETAILS BY WEEZY

Humboldt
432 Maple Lane
Garberville, CA 95542

PO Box 423
Redway, CA 95560

Louise M Henninger
432 Maple Lane
Garberville, CA 95542

The business is conducted by an Individual.
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/s Louise Henninger, Owner
This May 8, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-204)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00273

The following person is doing Business as
GOLDEN 1 CLEANING SERVICES

Humboldt
1788 Thelma St
Fortuna, CA 95540

Golden 1 Cleaning Services, Inc.
CA 6140970
1788 Thelma St
Fortuna, CA 95540

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
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/s Brooke Sollars, President
This May 13, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-210)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00277

The following person is doing Business as
WOLFE REAL ESTATE TEAM

Humboldt
830 Bayside Rd
Arcata, CA 95521

5460 Ericson Way
Arcata, CA 95521

April L Wolfe
830 Bayside Rd
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on June 3, 2019
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s April Wolfe, Owner/Broker
This May 14, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-198)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00279

The following person is doing Business as
THE SANDWICH SHOP

Humboldt
770 Wildwood Ave
Rio Dell, CA 95562

Rachelle D Petersen
770 Wildwood Ave
Rio Dell, CA 95562

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on May 14, 2024
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Rachelle Petersen, Owner
This May 14, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sg, Humboldt County Clerk

6/27, 7/4, 7/11, 7/18/2024 (24-225)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00283

The following person is doing Business as
BMW OF HUMBOLDT BAY

Humboldt
1795 Central Avenue
McKinleyville, CA 95519

Cappo Management LXXIII, LLC
FL L24000138236
43652 Michigan Avenue
Canton, MI 48188

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and

Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Jeffrey E Cappo, President
This May 16, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-214)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00288

The following person is doing Business as
FUR FITS

Humboldt
3140 St. Louis Rd. Apt. A
Arcata, CA 95521

799 H St PO Box #835
Arcata, CA 95521

El-Sheleke Giddens
799 H St. PO Box 835
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s El-Sheleke Giddens, Owner
This May 20, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-220)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00299

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00299
The following person is doing Business as
HEARTS OF HONEY CREATIONS

Humboldt
5403 Elk River Rd
Eureka, CA 95503

Monique D Parker
5403 Elk River Rd
Eureka, CA 95503

Coreen K Rose
2157 California St
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a General Partnership.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on May 28, 2024
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine

not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Monique Parker, Owner/Partner
This May 28, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by th, Humboldt County Clerk

6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-197)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00301

The following person is doing Business as
STAN ALBA GLASS

Humboldt
483 Butte Creek Road
Kneeland, CA 95549

PO Box 3337
Eureka, CA 95502

Stanford E Albaugh
483 Butte Creek Road
Kneeland, CA 95549

Arianna N Albaugh
483 Butte Creek Road
Kneeland, CA 95549

The business is conducted by a Married Couple.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on May 28, 2024
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/s Stanford Albaugh, Owner
This May 28, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk

6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/2024 (24-215)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00313

The following person is doing Business as
SMALL WONDERS CHILDCARE

Humboldt
2607 H St
Eureka, CA 95501

Megan N Labinsky
2607 H St
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on August 2019
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Megan Labinsky, Childcare Provider



Notice of Vacancy
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DIVISION 1
HUMBOLDT BAY MUNICIPAL
WATER DISTRICT
828 7th St., Eureka, CA 95501

The Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District has a vacancy, effective June 15, 2024, for its Division 1 Director. The person appointed to fill this vacancy would serve through December 6, 2024. The current term expires on December 6, 2024. The election for the next 4-year term beginning December 7, 2024 for this position occurs on November 5, 2024.

Anyone interested in being considered to fill the vacancy must reside within the boundaries of Division 1, which is comprised of a portion of Eureka and the Samoa Peninsula area. A map and legal description are available for inspection at the District's Eureka office. Contact the County's Election Division (445-7481) to confirm residency within HBMWD's Division 1.

If you are interested in applying for this position, please submit a letter of interest and resume to the District no later than the close of business (5 p.m.) on **July 8, 2024**. You may mail the information to: PO Box 95, Eureka 95502-0095, deliver it directly to 828 7th Street, Eureka, or email to: **office@hbmwd.com**.

The Board will determine which candidates to interview for the position. If selected as a candidate, you will be notified.

An overview of the District and summary of Director responsibilities are available at the District's office or its website (**www.hbmwd.com**). For any additional information about the Director position, call 443-5018.

John Friedenbach, General Manager



Alton “Whit” Lewis
April 28, 1937-June 17, 2024

Alton “Whit” Lewis, age 87, peacefully passed away on June 17, 2024, at Providence St. Joseph Hospital in Eureka, California.

He was born on April 28, 1937, in Merced, California, the son of Arthur Wright Lewis and Alice Sarah Savage. They lived in Fish Camp, Mariposa County, near Yosemite, with his sister Lyla and brother Dennis. He began working in the woods at a very early age with his Dad and Grandpa, then held a number of positions in the logging industry. He was also a heavy equipment operator and a distance truck driver. He could fix anything. He was a good cook with baked ham and the hobo breakfast two of his specialties. He loved old time country music and knew the words to many songs. He served in the US Navy from 1955-1958 aboard the USS Ajax. He had a wealth of knowledge about historical events and everyday life. His memory of family history and the birth dates of everyone he ever knew was amazing.

In 2006 he married his childhood sweetheart, Beverly Taplin and they moved to Chelsea, Vermont where Beverly had been born. He spent his time in Vermont “care-taking” the Taplin Farm as he liked to call it, and then as caregiver to Beverly as her health declined with dementia. His loss of vision due to macular degeneration was one of the hardest things he had to deal with and often said he would have rather lost his right arm than his vision. His recent health diagnosis made him want to be back home in California with his family and his old time friends. His wish was granted and he was able to say his good-bye’s.

He is survived by his wife, Beverly Taplin at Menig Nursing Home in Vermont, his daughter, Alice (Bill) Osborne, son, Alton Lewis, Jr. “JR”, grandchildren Abigail, William, Matthew, Heather, Andrew (Kaylie), Josh & Cameron and great-grandchildren Vivian, Christopher, Sierra, Harley, Donna Faye, Sophie and Adam Wade; Beverly’s California family, Carleen Sanderson, Chris (Melissa) Sanderson their kids Mallory & Gage, and Amber Sanderson, as well as Beverly’s Vermont family, the Alice (Taplin) Doyle family Teresa, Sandy, Jim & Andy and their families. He is also survived by cousins, nieces and nephews and many long time friends. He truly cherished their friendship and appreciated the many calls.

He was predeceased by his parents, sister Lyla (Lewis) Annibel, brother Dennis Lewis, 1/2 brother Ralph Morris, and a son, Michael Wade Lewis who died in 1983 at age 19.

A Memorial Service is planned for Saturday, July 6 at 11 AM at Goble’s Mortuary in Fortuna, California. Burial will be at the Ocean View Cemetery, Sunset Memorial Park in Eureka, California.

The family would like to give a special heart-felt thank you to Cornerstone Care of New England for the personal escort and arranging the travel from Vermont to California.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Chelsea Area Senior Center, P.O. Box 44, Chelsea, Vermont 05038 or to Mad River Community Honor Guard, P.O. Box 180, Fortuna, CA 95540.

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This May 31, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk
6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-207)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00314
The following person is doing Business as
HUNNY BUNNY

Humboldt
101 Westhaven Dr. North
Trinidad, CA 95570

PO Box 992
Trinidad, CA 95570

Erica L Patrick
PO Box 992
Trinidad, CA 95570

The business is conducted by an Individual.
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/s Erica Patrick, Owner
This May 31, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk
6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-208)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00315
The following person is doing Business as
WILD DOUGH BAKING COMPANY

Humboldt
1243 Hoover St
Eureka, CA 95501

Kristina M Adams
1243 Hoover St
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 1, 2024
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Kristina Adams, Owner
This May 3, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk
6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/2024 (24-209)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00319
The following person is doing Business as
PROUD DRAGON GAMES

Humboldt
219 D Street
Eureka, CA 95501

601 Herrick Avenue
Eureka, CA 95503

K&M Games LLC
California 202462011033
219 D Street
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.
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/s Keith B Drewett Jr., Managing Member
This June 4, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk
6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-218)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00333
The following person is doing Business as
HUMBOTTLE GLASS CRAFTS

Humboldt
1320 Westhaven Drive North
Trinidad, CA 95570

PO Box 526
Arcata, CA 95518

Andrew R Feinstein
PO Box 526
Arcata, CA 95521

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/s Andrew R Feinstein, Owner
This June 11, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk
6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-216)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00336
The following person is doing Business as
REDWOOD ROOTS CONSTRUCTION

Humboldt
175 Patricia Lane
Willow Creek, CA 95573

PO Box 1517
Willow Creek, CA 95573

Redwood Roots Construction
CA 6242005
175 Patricia Lane
Willow Creek, CA 95573

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
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/s Jason Stephens, President
This June 12, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jr, Humboldt County Clerk
6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/2024 (24-219)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 24-00344
The following person is doing Business as
BIG AND SMALL LANDSCAPING

Humboldt
3882 Glenwood St
Eureka, CA 95501

2522 E St
Eureka, CA 95501

Steven W Bishop
3882 Glenwood St
Eureka, CA 95501

John U Russell-Yount
3882 Glenwood St
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a General Partnership.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
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/s J. Ulysses Russell-Yount, Co-Partner
This June 20, 2024
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sg, Humboldt County Clerk
6/27, 7/4, 7/11, 7/18/2024 (24-228)

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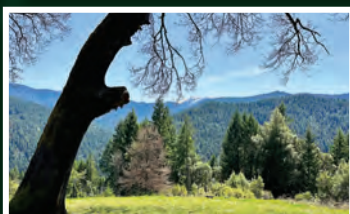
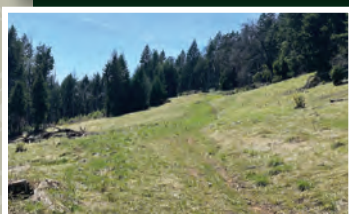
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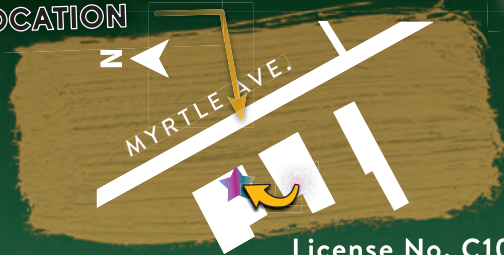
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